

LET YOUR BUCKET DOWN WHERE YOU ARE.—Booker T. Washington

BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

Volume LII—Number 11

Established June 5, 1895

BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1946

\$2.00 a Year; Three Years, \$5.00

Single Copy—FIVE CENTS

New Corporation Heads Chosen; Voters Favor All New Measures

The annual meeting of the Bethel Village Corporation Monday was of interest to more than the usual number of people, as over 60 citizens were present. Up to about half of those voted on the choice of Assessors, and a larger proportion showed hands on the several articles of the warrant which required their judgement.

There was a complete turnover in the board of Assessors. The first two, Kimball Ames and Louis Van Den Kerckhoven, were chosen on the first balloting, but five attempts were made before William Chapman was elected third. Mr. Chapman stated plainly enough that he was not a candidate but after adjournment he was sworn into office. All other officers remain the same. Appropriations made total \$743.56 more than last year.

All the new articles received an affirmative vote, including some matters which had been turned down in previous years. The Assessors were instructed to take out insurance to cover injuries to the volunteer firemen under the Workmen's Compensation Act. It was explained that at present the benefits of the Firemen's Relief Fund apply only to injuries received while on duty in the Village Corporation.

The voters chose to have another hydrant installed on Randall Street, between those now located near the residences of Sidney Chapman and Leslie Coburn. Articles regarding two street lights near the home of Glenn Murphy and one in front of the post office, turned down last year were approved this time. This increased the lighting appropriation to \$1963.66.

The Moderator was instructed to name a committee of five to consider the purchase of a new dump site or the collection of garbage and to report at a special meeting. The committee consists of Philip Chaboussier, Myron Bryant, Ralph Young, G. L. Thurston and Ernest Blalock.

A motion to pass over the skating rink appropriation was withdrawn and the recommended amount of \$400 was raised. Due to later necessity there has been no skating at the rink this winter, although some work of improvement was done there last summer and a start was made in preparation of the skating surface in December.

The sum of \$500 was granted for the employment of police. Apparently the entire expenditure is to be made at the Assessors' discretion, as no mention was made regarding the observance of the parking regulations or having a night watchman.

There was no objection to the use of the former Rowe's store as a community center and the Assessors were instructed to name a committee to have charge of the rooms. Rev. John Foster gave an explanation of the purpose of the project and such plans as have been suggested.

Corporation Officers
Moderator—Fred B. Merrill
Clerk—D. Grover Brooks
Assessors—Kimball Ames, Louis Van Den Kerckhoven, William Chapman
Treasurer—D. Grover Brooks
Collector—Walter E. Bartlett
Fire Engineers—Lloyd Luskton, E. Linwood Brown, Fred L. Douglas
Park Commissioner—Philip A. Burns

Appropriations:
Miscellaneous Expenses \$200.00
Fire Department 1,200.00
Police 500.00
Street Lights 1,963.66
Hydrants 1,080.00
Rum Account 500.00
Bum Account 200.00
Skating Rink 400.00
Statements 41.83
Taxes 250.00
Corporation Buildings 180.00

At the first meeting of the Assessors, insurance under the Workmen's Compensation Act was taken up under articles 18 and 19 to cover the firemen and any casual employees. Under article 15 the Village Co. was instructed to order a hydrant.

Under article 19 another special officer was considered to help enforce traffic ordinance. Under article 20 it was voted to have the present dump bulldozed off into the river and cleaned up immediately and to keep it cleaned until the special committee under article 21 has reported.

Under article 22 it was concluded the skating rink should come under the jurisdiction of the Park Dept. and proper preparatory work done on it this summer.

The Power Co. was instructed to install the three lights under articles 23 and 27.

Bills are to be sought for the chairs under article 28.

Under articles 30 and 31 the following committee was appointed to adopt a method of management for the Community Rooms: John Foster, Wm. Penner, Elsie Davis, Doris Lord, Bob Blake, Joe Roderick and Kimball Ames. The organizational meeting will be held this week.

Office meetings of the Assessors will be held from time to time at places to be announced at which



Miss Carolyn Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Bethel was graduated with 151 student nurses recently from the Massachusetts General Hospital Training School for Nurses in Boston. Her tentative finishing date was in September of this year. Until that time as a member of the Cadet Nurse Corp. she will be sent to the Western part of the country to train on Indian Reservations. Miss Wright is an alumna of Gould Academy, class of 1943.

W S C S PLANS FOR MONTHLY MEETINGS

The W S C S met Thursday, March 7 at the home of Mrs. Leslie Moore with Mrs. Irving French in charge of devotions.

Voted to give \$10.00 to the Red Cross. The supper for the choir, postponed in February, will be held Wednesday, March 26 at 6:30 at the Church. The same committee will be in charge.

The Spiritual Life Committee has met and arranged the following devotional leaders for the monthly meetings this year.

April—Mrs. Perry Lapham
May—Mrs. Sidney Dyke
June—Mrs. Leslie Lapham
July—Mrs. Earl Davis
August—Mrs. Sherman Greenleaf
September—Mrs. Ralph Berry
October—Mrs. Harry Jordan
November—Mrs. Chelle Saunders
December—Mrs. Herbert Benn
The Chapter on India from "Christ after Christ" was reviewed by Mrs. Sidney Dyke.

Mrs. Irving French will entertain the W S C S at her home April 4 in place of Mrs. Wesley Wheeler. Mrs. French will also review the Chapter on Latin America.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Janet Palmer was given a surprise birthday party by her mother, Mrs. Earle Palmer and Harriet Koyas at her home on Tuesday evening.

Those invited: Jackie MacFarlane, Irene Wright, Rebecca Philbrick, Joyce Cummings, Marilyn Boyker, Isabel Bennett, Ruth Garber, Nina Pierce and the guest of honor, Janet Palmer.

The evening was spent in playing whist, high score being won by Jackie MacFarlane and the consolation prize by Janet Palmer. Refreshments of home made ice cream and a birthday cake were served, also candy. The guest of honor received many nice gifts.

JUDGING CONTESTS

Twelve judging contests, a requirement for the seal of achievement, have been held by the 4-H Clubs in Denmark, Welchville, Hiram, Buckfield, Stoneham, Brookfield, East Bethel, Bryant Pond, Upton, Hiram, Watford and North Paris.

Winners for the following clubs have been announced as follows: Denmark: Thelma Lord and Evelyn Sanborn.

Welchville: Betty Hannaford and Norma Conant.
Hiram: Helen Wilson, Margaret Oliver and Mona Stetson.

North Paris: Florence Andrews and Phyllis Abbott.
Bryant Pond: Laura Yates and Phyllis Hattaway.

East Bethel: Carolyn Olson, Edith Taylor and Edward Hastings.
Buckfield: Paul Bennett and Walter Reed.

Watford: Janet Marston, David Stoneham, Kenneth Farrington, Marston and Evelyn Kimball.
Hiram: Sylvia Barker.

East Brookfield: Gardner Parsons, Eva Dunn and Marjorie Lane.

CROOKED RIVER 4-H
The Crooked River 4-H Club held an afternoon meeting Saturday, March 9th. The leader, 10 members and 4 visitors were present. The roll call was answered by a spring flower. The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The club voted to join the Red Cross. The Demonstration Teams were chosen. The President, Barbara Stearns, gave instructions on making a tansy bag for the second year sewing class. It was decided to have the next meeting Saturday, March 30 at the Town House. The meeting was adjourned.

any one with business to present will be welcome. Reports on progress will be made to the voters who will be interested in how the village affairs are being administered.

Between the Deadlines



IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Miss Ruby Jewell has returned from Florida.

Mrs. Alice Edwards of Norway was in town one day last week.

Miss Helen Varner spent the week end at her home in Auburn.

Misses Ruby Jewell and June Enman spent the week end in Portland.

Miss Rosalie George of Boston spent the week end with her mother.

George Harlow has returned to his work after several weeks illness.

Robert Perry of Old Orchard visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry Wednesday.

Kimball Ames, Nancy and Catherine Carver were in Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lothrop were week end visitors of Mrs. Lothrop's parents at Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Custer Quimby and family are moving to Raymond. N H this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gallant are moving to Mrs. Mabel Robertson's home on Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Briggs left Saturday for a six weeks vacation at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and Mrs. Robert Konstant spent Friday and Saturday in Lewiston.

Mrs. Robert Mills and infant son returned home Tuesday from Rumford Community Hospital.

The Methodist Sunday School Board met at Mrs. Sidney Dyke's home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Mundt spent the week end at her brother's, Theodore Potter's, in Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen arrived home last week after spending the winter at Clearwater, Fla.

Phillips Brooks is working at the Grand Trunk station during the absence of Chester Briggs.

Avery Angeline was home over the week end from Nashua, N H where he is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gibbs and daughter, Nancy of Peabody, Mass. left today after visiting in town.

Mrs. Marjorie Potts and children of Rumford were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Young and Pamela have moved to the house recently purchased of P. O. Beinhart.

Mrs. Marion Bowles was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wendell Gibbs, at Peabody, Mass. last week.

Mrs. Yvonne Charlton of Kingston, N H was the week end guest of her son, Harry York, and family.

Mrs. Everett Bean and children, Mrs. Malcolm Muntz and children are visiting in Westbrook today.

Mrs. Robert Keniston visited in West Paris Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Keniston.

Mrs. Wallace Clark and Mrs. Earl Cummings and daughter, Nancy, left Wednesday to spend several days at the home of Mrs. Clara's daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Williams at Auburn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson returned to their home here Saturday after several months stay in Texas and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett left for a vacation in St. Petersburg, Fla. Sunday morning.

Robbie Watson returned Friday from the St. Louis Hospital at River Falls, N H where he has been a surgical patient several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Hall of Augusta spent the week end with Norman Hall and family. Miss Marjorie Hall was also a guest.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will entertain the warden of the Rebekah Assembly at their next meeting, Monday evening, March 18th. A pot-luck supper will be served at 6:30.

The Master Mason degree will be worked at the meeting of the Rebekah Lodge F & A M, this Thursday evening. Refreshments will follow the meeting.

Three Local Garages Robbed Mon. Night

Three breaks in local garages and service stations were reported Tuesday morning. The garage of Gardner Brown was entered, the safe broken into, and about \$40 and a revolver were taken. Some \$7 or \$8 was missing from Edward Lowell's service station and a small box, later recovered, was taken from the office of the garage operated by Gilbert Brown and William Von Zint. The robberies are being investigated by the sheriff's department.

20 INDICTMENTS AT SUPERIOR COURT

Twenty indictments were returned by the grand jury at the session of Superior Court which convened at Rumford on Tuesday of last week with Justice Albert Belliveau presiding.

The indictments are: John I. Libby, assault with intent to murder, breaking and entering with intent to assault, Jean L. Stowe.

Three charges against Lester Dwight Balentine, forgery and uttering.

Lester Dwight Balentine, breaking, entering and larceny.

Wallace O. Taylor, Mexico, larceny of an automobile owned by William McKenna.

Two charges against Vincent E. Dugan, forgery and uttering.

Theodore William Plante, larceny of an automobile, escape from the County Jail.

Anthony Joseph Gallant, larceny of an automobile from Rupert Aldrich, clerk of courts.

Pauline Whittemore Small, larceny, misrepresenting another person.

John Cloutier and Joseph Alfred Bissonette, accessory before and after the fact.

Chester H. Brown, John Cloutier, A. Bissonette, larceny.

Two charges against Lester H. Brown for larceny.

Frederick Treibow and Robert Weeks Shaw, using motor vehicle and larceny.

Leon Morga, larceny and cheating.

Pauline Whittemore Small, cheating and larceny.

Arraigned Friday morning, John I. Libby pleaded not guilty. Vincent Dugan pleaded guilty and was sentenced to serve two to four years in prison. John Cloutier was placed in probation after suspension of an 11 months jail sentence.

Alfred Bissonette pleaded guilty and his case was continued for sentence. Anthony Joseph Gallant and Theodore Plante were sentenced to the men's reformatory.

Lester Balentine pleaded guilty to breaking, entering and larceny.

Gerald Deane of Bethel, who was placed on probation at the last term of court had his probation revoked and sentenced to a year in prison.

Court ended Wednesday until March 25 when the charge of murder against Rodney Paul Grover of Bethel will be tried. It is alleged that Grover shot and killed a Canadian of Norway and wounded a Canadian woman in his kitchen at Dixfield on Sept. 1.

ENGAGEMENT

Lloyd Luskton announces the engagement of his daughter, Barbara Mae to Sgt. Chester Wheeler of Hiram.

Mrs. Luskton is the daughter of Lloyd Luskton and the late Irene Corbett Luskton. She is a graduate of Gould Academy and for the past year has been employed as a clerk in the Bethel postoffice.

Sgt. Wheeler is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler. He was discharged from the Army last 1 after serving three years in the armed forces. He is now serving in the Pacific area. Sgt. Wheeler has been in the rear war army and at present is spending a furlough at his home here.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Margaret Harwood left last week to spend a few weeks at her home, Fla.

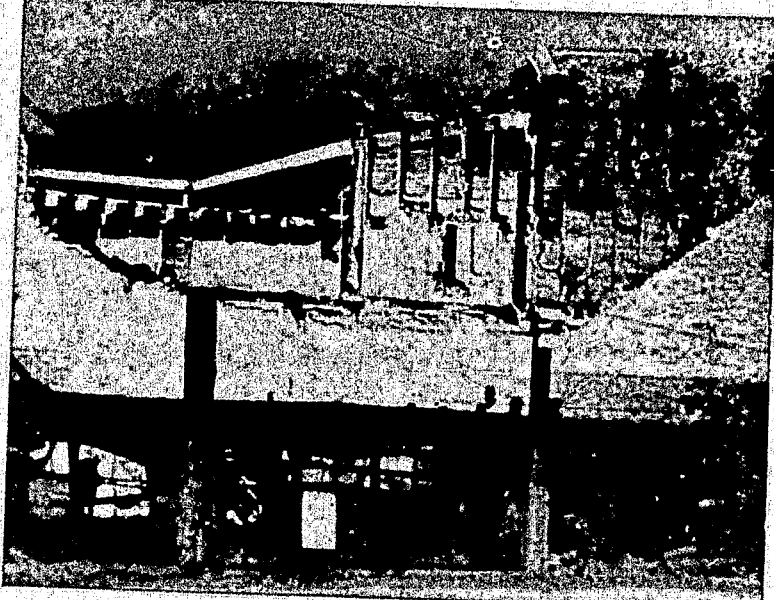
The Contract Club met with Mrs. Earl Davis Tuesday evening. Mrs. Leonard Clark held high noon for the evening. Next week the club will meet with Mrs. Clayton Bennett on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Durell are returning to their home on Broad Street after spending the winter at Kittery. Mr. Durell has just completed 15 years service at the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

The Chairman of the Health Seal Committee wishes to extend her thanks for the many contributions in behalf of the Seal. To date \$173.16 has been received. Several teachers of the schools, the Maine Public Health Association joins in with their thanks.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met at the home of Miss Abigail Gill Wednesday evening for a pot-luck supper. A short devotional service was held after the supper. Mrs. Joe Perry was in charge of the program which consisted of games and singing. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Muntz with Mrs. Gardiner Gorman as program chairman.

West Coast Hit by Quake



SEATTLE, WASH.—(Soundphoto)—An earthquake centering in the Olympic Mountains of Washington shook Western Washington and Oregon causing damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars. Photo shows ruined wall that fell during the quake.

GOULD CLASS TEAM FINALS FRIDAY NIGHT

The boys and girls Interclass finals will be placed at the Girls' Gym Friday night at 7 and 8 o'clock. In the preliminary game the Soph and Senior girls will meet in the championship play-off.

The girls tournament was played off last week to a 3-way tie between the Freshman, Sophomores and Seniors. In a play-off between the Freshmen and Sophomores, the Freshmen were eliminated by two points, leaving the Sophomores to play the Seniors Friday night. The two teams are fairly evenly matched with Helen Robertson, Pearl Daye and Betty Marshall shooting for the Seniors and Carol Swan, Wilma Croteau and Barbara Leonard shooting for the Sophomores.

The Senior guards are Jean Chapman, Joyce Murphy and Pauline Baker and the Sophomores guarding the Senior forwards will be Barbara Wattle, Barbara Dougherty and Norma Bean.

The boys finalists, at the time of writing, have not yet been decided. It looks however, as though the Seniors with Wright, Stowell and Margaret as a nucleus should be in there at the finish. The other finalist may be the Juniors with Parsons, Cole and Libby forming the backbone of the team. The Sophomores have a chance to work their way into the spotlight however as they have some good material in Ted Young, Wood and Foster.

EASTER SEAL SALE MARCH 21-APRIL 21

Mrs. Summer Seash, President of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children today announced the dates for the annual Easter Seal sale for crippled children. The Seal will open on March 21 and close on April 21, Sunday.

According to plans now being formulated in Maine under the leadership of Mrs. Burton L. Preston, the Easter Seal sale this year will be a special occasion as all county and state societies join with the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults to celebrate the Silver Anniversary, marking twenty-five years of leadership in work for crippled children.

MR. YANG-YEN-CHIN TALKS AT P.T.A. MEETING

The regular meeting of the P.T.A. was held at the grammar school Monday night with a good attendance. The program consisted of two piano numbers by Ruth Hall.

A solo dance by the pupils of the third grade and two piano duets by Laura Wilson and Mrs. Donald Brown. Mr. Yang-Yen-Chin gave a talk on "Home Education" which was much enjoyed by all.

The hard grade won the attention of the P.T.A. committee to the P.T.A. for the first time. The program was distributed and cash for those not present Monday night will be brought home by the children. They are to be filled and to be returned next school year. The program committee for April is Mrs. Maxine Brown, Mrs. Wilbur Myers and Mrs. Theodore Emery.

MRS. H. E. MERRILL

Mrs. Florence M. Merrill, wife of Rev. H. E. Merrill of Milton Plantation, died suddenly Monday morning at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Merrill was born at Milton Plantation, Feb. 1859 the daughter of Sumner and Baskabe Seaton. Survivors are five sons by a former marriage: Harold Ryerson, 17; Sam Ryerson, 15; James Ryerson, 13; George Ryerson, 11; and a daughter, Louise Merrill, Bethel, a brother, Ernest Seaton of Milton Plantation; two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 P.M. at the I. W. Andrews & Son funeral home, South Woodstock.

THE GUILD met at Mrs. Ruth Brynston's Wednesday evening. Mrs. Burton Lord and Mrs. Barbara Knapp were on the program committee and Mrs. Emery had charge of the devotions.

Talent Scout



PHILADELPHIA, PA.—(Soundphoto)—The Phillies have become the first baseball team to hire a girl scout seeking talent for a big league team. She is Edith Houghton, 33-year-old ex-Wave and former star player on New York and Philly girl teams. She was a member of a girls team that toured Japan before the war. She leaves soon to look for talented rookies.

O.P.A. REGULATION ON BUILDING REPAIRS

The Maine O.P.A. announced today that householders who have work done for them by carpenter, painter, plumber, steam fitter, electrician, mason, plasterer and mowers may demand certification of compliance from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the seller of the construction between the certification date and the selling price.

Edward M. Lord, Maine O.P.A. Vice-Secretary, said that the purpose of the O.P.A. regulation covering construction between the certification date and the selling price is to protect the consumer from the

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Rip Franco Rule; U. S. Stiffens Foreign Policy; Readjust Crop Goals to Meet Emergency Needs

Released by Western Newspaper Union.
 EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.



Hoping to meet Allied demands for demoralization of Japanese government, Emperor Hirohito makes tour of industrial plants, tipping hat to reverent subjects at Kanagawa-Ken.

SPAIN: Hot Spot

With leftist elements in France pressing the issue, a new government loomed in Franco Spain, long under fire for Fascist connections but reportedly countenanced by Britain because of its neutrality during World War II, which diverted direct attack on Gibraltar.

The Allies' first major step in seeking to supplant Franco came with France's closure of its border against Spain. Prompted by French proposals to take up the matter with the United Nations organization, the U. S. and Britain then reportedly agreed to form a common front to apply pressure for Franco's removal.

While renouncing intentions to meddle with Spain's internal affairs, the U. S. and Britain moved to denounce the continued existence of Franco's regime and proclaim their willingness to recognize an interim representative government if he were ousted. Avoiding resolution of the situation, the U. S. and Britain would not break off economic ties or diplomatic relations, leaving the road open for negotiations for creation of a democratic government.

FOREIGN POLICY: U. S. Stiffens

Answering demands of Sen. Arthur Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) for a firmer foreign policy in reaching an understanding with Russia, Secretary of State Byrnes declared the U. S. would go to war to curb future aggression and peace and reparations settlements must be reached quickly and equitably to permit the economic revival of the world.

Byrnes' enunciation of the administration's foreign policy followed Vandenberg's charge upon returning from the United Nations Organization sessions in London that the American representatives sat back with complacent attitudes while Russia and Britain pressed their political ambitions. Unless the U. S. pushed its agenda, Vandenberg said, Russia will continue to press ahead in the Far East, eastern Europe, North Africa and Asia Minor where continued aggressiveness may set off a world war.

In reaffirming U. S. determination to check future aggression, Byrnes declared that the present arrangement of the United Nations was "a balance of power" but that efforts to upset the balance would imperil peace. In calling for early peace treaties, he asked for an ending of the distribution of occupied countries. Demanding equitable reparations agreements, Byrnes said the U. S. would not tolerate any power deciding for itself what to take.

STRIKES: Costly Walkout

The General Motors and CIO-United Automobile Workers pitched battle over wages tanks as one of the costliest industrial disputes in U. S. history, with financial losses of over \$100 million dollars in company, union, dealers and other producers dependent on O. M. for parts.

With its plants stricken as tight as a drum throughout the country, O. M. was estimated to have lost \$50 million dollars in unfilled orders.

NATIONAL INCOME:

With the national income in each month of 1945 running below the 1944 level, the year's total dropped to \$145,584 million dollars in 1945 from the record high of \$160,000 million dollars in 1944. National income, however, was practically as large as in 1945 when it was the second highest on record. Furthermore, the fact should not be overlooked that the 1945 figure is preliminary and actually may be larger.

STATE BANKS: Ship-Shape

With government bond holdings, loans and discounts and other assets showing substantial increases, the nation's 9,538 state banks boosted their total resources to almost \$7 1/2 billion dollars in 1945.

A breakdown of assets showed government bonds, totaling \$5 billion dollars, made up 67.4 per cent of resources at the year end, with loans and discounts, approximating \$1 1/2 billion dollars, next at 18.8 per cent. Cash and balances with other banks amounted to over \$1 billion dollars to constitute 17.6 per cent of assets while state, municipal and private securities and other resources approximating \$1 billion dollars rounded out the holdings.

The 9,538 state banks had capital stock totaling \$1 1/2 billion dollars, surplus of \$3 billion dollars, undivided profits of \$1 billion dollars and reserves of \$65 million dollars.

Ready Credit

Alive to the growing volume of installment financing, over 12,000 state and national banks will extend consumer credit in the postwar operations when they supplied 46 per cent of such loans in the country.

While not all of the banks intend to extend all types of consumer credit, 10,500 plan to make personal loans. By buying dealer paper or advancing money directly to consumers, 9,400 banks will finance sales of automobiles and 8,000 will back purchases of such goods as home appliances, farm equipment and airplanes.

Over 5,000 banks will make FHA loans covering home repairs while 7,800 will extend credit for modernization plans of small businesses or residential owners.

Fritz Finds Heavy Going



Departed in September of 1945 as a dangerous alien after he had been deprived of U. S. citizenship, former Bund Chief Fritz Kuhn is now baggage smasher in Hohenasberg castle in Stuttgart, Germany.

BIG MAN: Crows Bigger

One of the biggest of the wartime entrepreneurs, Henry J. Kaiser continued his postwar growth with the leasing of two huge government aluminum mills at Spokane, Wash., with options to buy.

In granting Kaiser companies use of the plants, the government announced that it sought to increase competition in the industry presently dominated by two companies. Because Kaiser plans to extensively employ the metal in his automobiles, the government also said, he might open a new field for use of the material and thus open a market for other U. S.-owned aluminum plants.

In leasing the \$47,000,000 Trentwood aluminum rolling mill, Kaiser-Frazier agreed to pay a yearly rental amounting to 5 per cent of gross sales or fixed sums, running up to \$22,270,000. Mead aluminum reduction plant, Kaiser Cargo, Inc., will pay annual charges up to \$1,240,000 in the fifth year.

MEAT: Consumer Costs

Though consumers will have to pay the full cost of the parking companies' 16 cent an hour wage boost to employees, the actual outlay will approximate only 8 cents a year per person on the basis of record consumption, the department of agriculture reported.

In arriving at the figure, department economists divided the 14 per cent price increase allowed packers into anticipated consumption of 135 pounds of meat per person in 1946 at an average of 33 cents a pound. However, the actual cost might be less since the estimated consumption of 135 pounds per person reflects a peak and is far above the average per year level.

Despite the 14 per cent price boost granted packers to offset the wage increase, the American Meat Institute termed OPA's relief entirely inadequate if livestock is to flow to legitimate channels. Even with the new price increase, the institute said, legal operators would be pressed to compete with black marketeers in bidding for cattle.

TIRE OUTPUT:

The tire manufacturing industry produced approximately one tire for every automobile on the road in 1945, totaling 25,147,539 units. While this exceeded the war-restricted quotas established early in 1945, output fell far short of meeting long pent-up civilian demand.

Rapidly accelerating production in the closing months of 1945 and steadily increasing production since the start of the year had carried current weekly output to an all-time record high by mid-February.

Washington Digest

Rediscovered America Under New Sponsors

Co-Operative Backing of Programs Affords Wider National Contacts; Brings Radio Close to Local Communities.

By BAUKHAGE
 News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

In these days when there is so much talk about co-operatives, I would like to take this opportunity to say something about co-operative sponsorship of radio. It is a different kind of co-op, of course, but it has done a lot for broadcasting. It simply means that instead of having one big company sponsor a program over a whole network, a local concern in each town "hires" us. That is why I say the name of my boss is legion.

There are many advantages in this plan from a purely material standpoint. But to me, the greatest, from the broadcaster's point of view is the fact that co-op sponsorship provides a tremendous psychological tonic. It gives me what I call an e-pluribus-unum boost, because I have a feeling that a lot of people have elected me to my job instead of one man hiring me. I feel that I have become a citizen in a sort of new-found economic democracy.

Now from the listener's standpoint: When a program is sponsored locally, the townsfolk are bound to look on it with a lot more intimacy.

We are all proud of the fact that radio has brought the world right into the listener's home. We can be equally proud of the fact that the co-operative sponsorship system has brought thousands of American communities into the broadcaster's heart and mind. The co-operative sponsorship system exemplifies the good, democratic principles of decentralization.

I think it's a great invention.

Chosen by Station WNAJ, Yonkers, N. Y., as "typical mid-west farmers," Mr. and Mrs. John Oeser won a trip to Washington, a new tractor and money for a new wardrobe. Immediately after being received by the President, they were interviewed on our program.

They were chosen by WNAJ because, while running up a remarkable production record on their farm in Westside, Iowa, they also played a leading part in the war activities of the community.

Mr. Oeser is 58 years old and is still cultivating the land his father pioneered. He and Mrs. Oeser have eight children—the one of military age is a marine—two daughters are



Baukhage (center) interviews the Oesers in Washington, D. C.

The people of X-ville, listening to me as they have for the last three years, feel, I am sure, that they know me better because they know my sponsor, Joe Doe—a lot of them personally, a lot more because they have almost daily personal contact with the clerks in his big department store. And that goes for the flour mill, the bank, the bakery, the dairy, the hotel, the electric power company, the finance company, the flour and feed store, and what have you (and what haven't you in the co-op district).

Like writing for a weekly newspaper, there is a hometown intimacy about this arrangement. This intimacy, vicarious though it may be, goes a long way toward breaking down the barrier of invisibility between the unseen broadcaster and his audience.

Highly important too, is the total goodwill engendered by the co-operative sponsorship system. It means a lot to the sponsor to have the listener realize that a hometown supported institution is paying for the program he listens to.

Before I accept a sponsor I have to know something about him. When we get together I have a chance to learn a lot more about him and he about me. Thus, my 130 bosses have helped me, in a sense, to rediscover America, and it doesn't do a bit of harm to those of us who spend so much time on Pennsylvania avenue to have a daily reminder of Main street which is the real America.

So much for direct benefits to station-sponsor-listener-broadcaster. But there is something which is even more important to radio as a whole. I believe the co-op system will go a long way toward dissolving an unfounded suspicion held by some of the general public: namely, that a commentator reflects his sponsor's opinions. Personally, I have never known such a case, but the myth is widespread. Well, it is obvious that even 30 sponsors couldn't agree to disagree with their commentator on any one thing and when the number passes the hundred mark, a neutralizing effect results which produces a cross-section view that could reflect only an average of American tolerances.

BARBS... by Baukhage

Before the war, says the 20th Century Fund, around four million Americans paid an income tax. After the war began, the number rose to about 40 million, or over 10 times as many heads as on March 15.

The clerks and salespeople are now demanding "Doncher know there's a peace on?"

What does the American soldier in Europe (and officer) want most? Sorry, cynics, it's (1) to get home and (2) the wife and kiddies over there.

Rubble plus rubble makes a revolution—but a bowl of American soup goes a long way to convince even a hungry communist democracy isn't so bad.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

If the lid of your pressure cooker sticks or if the cooker leaks steam, rub the edges of the lid and kettle with cooking oil before sealing it.

Laces and embroidery should be pressed on the wrong side. Place a turkish towel under embroidery so designs will stand out.

Doughnuts will crack and brown before they are cooked inside if the fat in which they are fried is not hot enough or if the "sinkers" contain too much flour.

Use alcohol or ammonia water to clean the glass over pictures. Dry carefully and polish with chamois or crumpled paper.

To clean an egg-beater quickly, give it a few turns in cold water, then in hot water, and finally a few turns in the air. Keep cogs and wheels out of the water.

Cook a piece of salt pork with green string beans for good flavor without the addition of butter.

VERONICA LAKE
 star of "The Hour Before the Dawn," a Paramount picture, is one of the many well-known, well-informed, well-dressed, well-mannered Hollywood stars who use Calox Tooth Powder.
 McKesson & Robbins, Inc., Bridgeport, Conn.

Beware Coughs That Hang On
 Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germs laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchi, mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.
CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

LISTEN TO
BREAK THE BANK
 with BERT PARKS
 the show with Cash Prizes of fabulous sizes!

SATURDAYS 9:30-10:00 P.M.
 Sponsored by
VICK CHEMICAL CO.
 over
THE YANKEE NETWORK
 in New England

STRAINS, SORENESS CUTS, BURNS
 A favorite household antiseptic dressing and liniment for 98 years—(Hearford's) BALZAM OF MYRRH! It contains soothing gums to relieve the soreness and ache of overused and strained muscles. Takes the sting and itch out of burns, scalds, insect bites, and soothes itching, wind and sun burn, chafing and chapped skin. Its antiseptic action lessens the danger of infection whenever the skin is cut or broken.
 Keep a little handy for the minor casualties of kitchen and nursery. At your druggist's, also bottle \$3.00 household size \$4.00 economy size \$12.00.
 G. C. HANFORD MFG. CO., Syracuse, N. Y.
 Sole makers of
Balsam Myrrh

CLASS DEPART

BUSINESS & COLLEGE
 DOLLARS IN YOUR POCKET!
 Write 20th Century Fund, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.
 Increase income, save money, and get a new car.
 Ed. G. S. PARKER

CLOTHING
RABBIT SKIN
 Breeding stock and young rabbits for sale. Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
RELIABLE FURS
 Dept. 60, 148 W. 2nd St., New York, N. Y.

MISCELLANEOUS
DELICIOUS FRUIT
 or Citrus fruit from oranges, grapefruit, lemons, limes, etc. Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
SONG POEMS
 Attached to Record Arnold Air, Box 230, Back Bay, Boston, Mass.

POULTRY, CATTLE
 New Taking Orders for Bronze and White Poultry stock from Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Farnham, 1000 S. 1st St., Portland, Me.
WHITE HOLLAND
 started. Good stock. Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
WILLOW BUD FARM
 A new crossbred of willow bud farm. Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

SEEDS, PLANTS
 California Wildflowers, beautiful flowering plants. Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
THE CARTERS

WANTED
 THERE'S MONEY in your pocket! Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.
 Cedar Grove, Baltimore, Md.

A Safe, Sound Buy U. S. Savings Bonds
 Buy U. S. Savings Bonds

High Energy
 Great for...
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

SCOTT'S EMULSION
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

PAZO
 Write for price list and address—price 60c-1.00.

CLASSIFIED
DEPARTMENT

BUSINESS & INVEST. OPPOR.

DOLLARS IN YOUR MAIL. We tell you how, 137 plans. Free starting literature. Write 2011 CENTURY SERVICE, 605 Fifth Avenue, Dept. 10, New York.

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

RABBIT SKIN HEADQUARTERS. Breeding stock and supplies sold. For free magazine and price list, send your name and address—printed on a postcard will do—to—

RELIABLE FUR INDUSTRIES

Dept. 60, 148 W. 25th St., New York 1, N. Y.

MISCELLANEOUS

DELICIOUS TREE RIPE Indian River Citrus fruit from our own groves. Oranges, grapefruit or mixed as you direct. 50 lb. box \$7.95, 25 lb. box \$4.50. Express prepaid. F. M. COOPER, Box 210, Cocoa, Fla.

SONG POEMS SET TO MUSIC

Arranged—Recorded—Reasonable Rates. ARNOLD ARRANGING SERVICE, Box 230, Back Bay F. O., Boston, Mass.

POULTRY, CHICKS & EQUIP.

New Taking Orders. Quality Brand Breasted and White Holland turkey poulters. Vermont stock from pullorum clean breeders. Round Hill Farm, Woodbridge, Conn.

WHITE HOLLAND

Good stock, fair price. BICKFORD FARMS, West Chelmsford, Mass.

A new cross chick that is giving universal satisfaction.

White Giant-White Rock. The perfect meat bird for the grower and fatterer. Free circular. WILLOW BUD FARMS, Westley, R. I.

SEEDS, PLANTS, ETC.

California Window Box Cactus, a rare beautiful flowering variety and sizes. St. The CARTERS, Box 1059, Hialeah, Calif.

WANTED TO BUY

THERE'S MONEY IN YOUR ATTIC! Top prices paid for old U. S. stamps and envelopes. Write description or send for cash offer. References given. R. H. DIKE, 14-D Cedar Drive, Baltimore 20, Md.

A Safe, Sound Investment—Buy U. S. Savings Bonds!

HIGH ENERGY TONIC

Great for All Ages!

Recommended by Many DOCTORS

Helps tone up adult systems—helps children build sound teeth, strong bones.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Dr. J. C. True's Elixir

THE TRUE FAMILY LAXATIVE

Aids in the relief of constipation due to sluggishness of the intestinal tract. Agreeable to take. For young and old. CAUTION: use only as directed.

PAZO for PILES

Relieves pain and soreness

PAZO IN TUBES!

Millions of people suffering from simple Piles, have found prompt relief with PAZO ointment. Here's why: First, PAZO ointment soothes inflamed areas—relieves pain and itching. Second, PAZO ointment lubricates hardened, dried patches—helps prevent cracking and soreness. Third, PAZO ointment tends to reduce swelling and check minor hemorrhages. Fourth, it's easy to use. PAZO ointment is a perforated Pile Pipe makes application simple, thorough. Your doctor can tell you more about PAZO ointment.

SUPPOSITORIES TOO!

Some persons, and many doctors, prefer to use suppositories, so PAZO comes in handy suppositories also. The same soothing relief that PAZO always gives.

Get PAZO Today! At Drugstores!

USE 666 COLD PREPARATIONS

LIQUID, TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

CAUTION—USE ONLY AS DIRECTED

WNW-2 11-40

Feel old? back ache?

SORETONE

brings quick relief for muscle pains

50¢ and \$1.00

Made by Dr. J. C. True

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

Money Back Guarantee

OVERNIGHT GUEST

By BEN AMES WILLIAMS

THE STORY THUS FAR: Adam Bruce, FBI operator, on a trip to his old home, ran into his previous boss, Inspector Tope and Mrs. Tope. Tope found a man murdered at auto camp operated by Bee Dewain. Mrs. Tope said the man was Mr. Ledford, head of New England utilities. Holdom, friend of Ledford, was found unconscious in hospital. His employee, Kell, had disappeared. Tope believed Mrs. Kell's body would be found in bottom of quarry in Holdom's car. Ledford was said by his office to be in camp, came running in and said that there was a man in the cottage—Tope and Bruce found Kell looking where the murdered man was found.

And Tope suddenly was calm. "Kell," he said, "I'm sorry about your wife. Don't think me—impatient, unkind. But—had she any faults? Were you jealous of her?"

"She was all right, sir," Kell protested. "But I couldn't help being jealous of her. She'd go away, week-ends when I'd be at home, and when I couldn't go with her, with Mr. Holdom keeping me busy all the time."

"Where would she go?"

"She always told me where she was going, but I tried to telephone her, sometimes, and she wasn't where she'd started for. It made me crazy, sir," he confessed.

Adam realized—and his hair prickled at the thought—that Kell spoke of Mrs. Kell in the past tense, as though she were dead!

Tope asked: "Where were you last week-end? Ten days ago? Up here or in New York?"

"In New York, sir. Mr. Holdom couldn't get away."

"Mr. Ledford in New York?"

"I don't know, sir."

The Inspector looked at Kell's feet; and he demanded:

"Let me see your shoes—the bottoms of them."

Kell, after a moment, lifted one foot, standing on the other; and Tope turned the lifted foot with his hand to look at the sole. Kell toppled and almost fell; and Tope released his ankle, caught his arm, steadied him. Then the old man asked:

"Do you ever wear heel-plates?"

Kell's eyes flickered. "No sir!"

"Sure?"

"Why—I've got an old pair of shoes with plates on them."

"Worn them lately?"

"No sir."

Tope nodded; and he said: "Kell, there were some things in the pockets of those overalls this dead man wore. A valve-clearance gauge, and a knife with a steel handle, marked in a scale, inches and centimeters. Did you ever see a knife like that?"

Kell shook his head stubbornly.

"Well, that's funny," Tope protested. "That's queer! You work for Holdom; you're his chauffeur. You live over his garage. Well, this dog blanket came from his garage; and the overalls and sweater came out of the machine shop behind the garage, where you keep your work clothes. I think they are yours. They're big enough to fit you. You're an Englishman. That knife came from England. I never saw one like it in this country."

"I heard that the coupe came here," Kell muttered. "And she was in it. She drove it away from the house."

"Well," said Tope, "I don't know where she is, but I can tell you where the car is. It's in the quarry hole, up in the mountains above the Holdom place. We're lifting it out tomorrow."

Kell uttered a low, startled ejaculation; and Tope stopped, expecting the man to speak. When Kell did not, the Inspector demanded:

"Know anything about that?"

"No sir." The answer was prompt.

"I suppose you didn't put it there?"

Kell cried harshly, on the verge of breaking: "No!"

"All right," Tope said sharply, pressing his advantage. "Why didn't you bring Holdom and Ledford up here to their homes last Friday?"

And quickly: "Now, don't let me know you left New York, with them in the car; and we know you got home alone. What did you do with Ledford and Holdom on the way?"

After a moment Kell answered: "Why—I had engine trouble, sir. It looked like a bad job to fix it, so they hailed a car and got a ride to Springfield, told me they'd come on home by train. I got the engine fixed quicker than I expected, and came on, and met the train at Middletown, but they weren't on it."

"Hah!" said Tope scornfully. "Look you long enough to think of that! Where have you been since then?"

"Looking for Mrs. Kell—places I thought she might be."

"Where?"

"Well, one was in Boston, and one in Worcester. Then Mr. Ledford had a lodge back in the hills where his sometimes went for a rest. I thought she might be there."

"Why?" Tope demanded; and Kell hesitated, did not answer. Tope cried: "Well, was she?"

"No, sir," said Kell, and Tope demanded sharply:

"But you found some one there?"

"Eberly!" Tope looked at Adam. "He's there now."

"Yes sir. He and Mr. Ledford sometimes went there together."

Tope frowned, started and disturbed. "Did Mr. Eberly know Mrs. Kell?"

"Oh, no sir, but he said no one had been there!"

And Tope suddenly was calm. "Kell," he said, "I'm sorry about your wife. Don't think me—impatient, unkind. But—had she any faults? Were you jealous of her?"

"She was all right, sir," Kell protested. "But I couldn't help being jealous of her. She'd go away, week-ends when I'd be at home, and when I couldn't go with her, with Mr. Holdom keeping me busy all the time."

"Where would she go?"

"She always told me where she was going, but I tried to telephone her, sometimes, and she wasn't where she'd started for. It made me crazy, sir," he confessed.

Adam realized—and his hair prickled at the thought—that Kell spoke of Mrs. Kell in the past tense, as though she were dead!

Tope asked: "Where were you last week-end? Ten days ago? Up here or in New York?"

"In New York, sir. Mr. Holdom couldn't get away."

"Mr. Ledford in New York?"

"I don't know, sir."

The Inspector looked at Kell's feet; and he demanded:

"Let me see your shoes—the bottoms of them."

Kell, after a moment, lifted one foot, standing on the other; and Tope turned the lifted foot with his hand to look at the sole. Kell toppled and almost fell; and Tope released his ankle, caught his arm, steadied him. Then the old man asked:

"Do you ever wear heel-plates?"

Kell's eyes flickered. "No sir!"

"Sure?"

"Why—I've got an old pair of shoes with plates on them."

"Worn them lately?"

"No sir."

Tope nodded; and he said: "Kell, there were some things in the pockets of those overalls this dead man wore. A valve-clearance gauge, and a knife with a steel handle, marked in a scale, inches and centimeters. Did you ever see a knife like that?"

Kell shook his head stubbornly.

"Well, that's funny," Tope protested. "That's queer! You work for Holdom; you're his chauffeur. You live over his garage. Well, this dog blanket came from his garage; and the overalls and sweater came out of the machine shop behind the garage, where you keep your work clothes. I think they are yours. They're big enough to fit you. You're an Englishman. That knife came from England. I never saw one like it in this country."

"I heard that the coupe came here," Kell muttered. "And she was in it. She drove it away from the house."

"Well," said Tope, "I don't know where she is, but I can tell you where the car is. It's in the quarry hole, up in the mountains above the Holdom place. We're lifting it out tomorrow."

Kell uttered a low, startled ejaculation; and Tope stopped, expecting the man to speak. When Kell did not, the Inspector demanded:

"Know anything about that?"

"No sir." The answer was prompt.

"I suppose you didn't put it there?"

Kell cried harshly, on the verge of breaking: "No!"

"All right," Tope said sharply, pressing his advantage. "Why didn't you bring Holdom and Ledford up here to their homes last Friday?"

And quickly: "Now, don't let me know you left New York, with them in the car; and we know you got home alone. What did you do with Ledford and Holdom on the way?"

After a moment Kell answered: "Why—I had engine trouble, sir. It looked like a bad job to fix it, so they hailed a car and got a ride to Springfield, told me they'd come on home by train. I got the engine fixed quicker than I expected, and came on, and met the train at Middletown, but they weren't on it."

"Hah!" said Tope scornfully. "Look you long enough to think of that! Where have you been since then?"

"Looking for Mrs. Kell—places I thought she might be."

"Where?"

"Well, one was in Boston, and one in Worcester. Then Mr. Ledford had a lodge back in the hills where his sometimes went for a rest. I thought she might be there."

"Why?" Tope demanded; and Kell hesitated, did not answer. Tope cried: "Well, was she?"

"No, sir," said Kell, and Tope demanded sharply:

"But you found some one there?"

"Eberly!" Tope looked at Adam. "He's there now."

"Yes sir. He and Mr. Ledford sometimes went there together."

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

By VIRGINIA VALE

PAUL MUNI (starring in Charles R. Rogers' "Angel on My Shoulder") tells this one. When he first reached Hollywood, under contract to a film company, he was already famous as a Broadway star. But for six months he did nothing but collect his pay check. Finally he protested to his new boss, who told him not to worry. Just to amuse himself—go to Honolulu if he wanted to, leaving word where his check was to be sent. Finally "Scarface" came along, bringing him fame as a movie star overnight. It made so much money for the company that those months when Muni didn't work meant nothing.

Because it is said to be the most infectious and contagious one in Hollywood, social service students at Loyola university are studying a 15-minute record of Joan Leslie's laughter as it's heard in Warner

Bro's. "Cinderella Jones." The recording was made at the request of Rev. Gerald D. Flynn, director of sodalities (social service) for Southern California.

It's a good thing Ray Milland isn't jittery; in "California" he gets shaved while sitting in a barber chair in which a man was scalped and murdered. That was way back in 1848, and the murder took place during an Indian uprising, but the blood stains are still visible on the head rest. Later, the chair was used in General Fremont's headquarters in Monterey.

On the set of Metro's "The Show-Off," they brought in a Great Dane who plays an important role. Red Skelton held out his hand, but the dog didn't extend a paw—he knocked Skelton down. Skelton looked up with dawning recognition—it was the dog that was specially trained for Metro's "Bathing Beauty" two years before, trained to knock Skelton down every time he saw him!

The first postwar building project at the Warner studio will be an \$11,000 addition to the studio schoolhouse; there'll be larger classroom facilities for young players, a waiting room for mothers, and special equipment for the care and feeding of infant actors.

Madeleine Pierce, radio's baby specialist who is three-year-old "Jill" in "Young Dr. Malone," insists on being introduced to her audience before performances. Once as she approached the mike the audience, expecting a adult speech, burst into giggles when Madeleine began; she was playing a baby, and only a couple of giggles and a stream of gas came from behind the pailow used as a prop.

Ann Sothern's working in pictures again for the first time since the birth of her daughter, Patricia Ann Sterling, in December of 1944. She's doing another "Mistake" film.

A recent Houdering bats Bob Hope as the leader of the first 15 evening radio programs, with Fibber McGee and Molly, second, and Fred Allen third. Jack Benny's fourth. Ten years ago the popularity rating ran Major Bowes, Burns and Allen, Rudy Vallee, Jack Benny. In these days Bing Crosby was 14th, he's 6th on the list now, though he's been back on the air so short a time.

The new March of Time, "Report on Greece," is a factual picture story, photographed on the spot, revealing the situation there from the incredible inflation and paralysis of transportation to the rise of new political parties.

ODDS AND ENDS—Norma Shearer may follow Joan Crawford along the comeback trail and make another picture. A reporter asked Pat Brady, 8, of "Two Guys from Alhambra," what sports she liked, and the "Shatting, riding, swimming, fencing and tennis." "I like to talk to them," she said. "I'd like to talk to them, but they're so busy they don't have time to talk to me." "I'd like to talk to them, but they're so busy they don't have time to talk to me." "I'd like to talk to them, but they're so busy they don't have time to talk to me."

JOAN LESLIE

Joan Leslie is a Hollywood star who has been in the business for many years. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented actress and has many awards. She is known for her role in "Cinderella Jones" and "Angel on My Shoulder".

She is a very popular actress and has many fans. She is known for her beautiful smile and her acting skills.

She is a very talented

The Oxford County Citizen

The Bethel News 1895
The Rumford Citizen, 1908

Published every Thursday in the interests of the inhabitants of Bethel and the other towns of northwestern Oxford County. Entered as second class matter, May 7, 1908, at the post office at Bethel, Maine. Subscription rates, paid in advance: three years, \$5.00; one year, \$2.00; six months, \$1.10; three months, 60c. Phone 100

Carl L. Brown, Publisher

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1946

BOY SCOUT CARNIVAL

Over one hundred Boy Scouts of Mt. Mansfield, Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America arrived in Bethel Saturday morning, Mar. 10, to enjoy the District's second annual winter carnival, in which Troop 130 of South Paris took first place with 30 points; Troop 164 of West Paris, second with 26 points; Troop 105 of Bethel, third with 14 points; Troop 119 of Norway, fourth with 11 points; Troop 155 of Welchville, fifth with 5 points; and Troop 190 of South Paris, sixth with 3 points.

High point scores, contributing largely to the success of their troop were: Leland Weeks of Troop 130 with the most points, 30; followed closely by Dwight Sanborn of Troop 130 who had 12 points. Stanley Doughty of Troop 164 with 11 points and Addison Saunders of Troop 105 with 10 points.

Leaving the Bethel railroad station the Scouts marched to the Academy and were immediately assigned numbers for the cross-country race which started off the carnival events. The jump and the dash, completed in that order. Dinner was announced, and seven troops and leaders marched to the Bethel Congregational Church where dinner was served by the Junior Guild. Mrs. Gail Foster, President, under the direction of Mrs. Charles Gorman, chairman of the dinner committee.

The invocation was given by Rev. John Foster, Committee Chairman of Troop 130. Leland Weeks led the Scouts in repeating the Scout oath.

District Chairman Elmore C. Edmunds was hostmaster and introduced Elwood Ireland, headmaster of Gould Academy and director of the annual Mt. Mansfield, who is very popular with Scouts and Scouters alike, spoke briefly about the afternoon events and awarded ribbons to the winners of cross-country and the dash.

After District Chairman presented by Mr. Edmunds were Elmer C. Bennett, District Chairman of Camping and Activities under whose direction arrangements for the carnival were made; Eugene Van Den Kerkhof, Committee member of Troop 125, Scoutmaster Robert Hicks of South Paris, and Herman W. Smith, Field Scout Executive of Pine Tree Council. Mr. Smith called attention to the fun that Scouts have in doing things and attending District winter carnivals held at Gould Academy. He pointed out that District affairs require considerable planning and that Mr. Ireland, the Committee men and the Scoutmaster should receive considerable credit for their service to Scouts. Mr. Smith thanked the church and the Junior Guild for their hospitality and excellent dinner. The Scouts added their approval with an enthusiastic applause.

Scoutmasters and Assistants present were: Elmer A. Tilly and Leon H. Lave of Troop 119, Mr. Edmunds, Troop 130, "Cox" Hannaford, Troop 125, Raymond A. Means, Troop 164, and Mr. Gerald P. Kneelands of Troop 165.

Immediately after dinner the Scouts and their leaders went to Evans Corner for the downhill and slalom events which proved exciting because of the fast snow condition.

Returning to the station and previous to boarding the late afternoon train for home the visiting Scouts thanked their Bethel host and friends for a very successful carnival and expressed their hope that there would soon be another District event which they might attend and enjoy together.

Result of Ski Meet

Cross Country Race: 1, Leland Weeks, 130; 2, Loren Weeks, 130; 3, Payson Brett, 152.

Jumping: 1, Joseph Perham, 2, Addison Saunders, 165; 3, John Hicks, 130.

Ski Jump: Seniors: 1, Dwight Sanborn, 130; 2, Donald Crockett, 165; 3, Leland Weeks, 130.

Junior: 1, Peter Collett, 164; 2, Stanley Doughty, 164.

FARM BUREAU MUTUAL AUTO-MOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY

Concord, New Hampshire

ADMITTED 1945-46

Real Estate \$18,624.61

Stocks and Bonds 701,527.00

Cash in Office and Bank 66,758.53

Agents' Advances 19,349.50

Interest and Rents \$3,018.81

All other Assets 28,726.71

Grants Assets 186,923.11

Unsettled items not admitted 782.92

Admitted 1945-46

Unsettled items not admitted 782.92

Admitted 1945-46

Unsettled items not admitted 782.92

WRONG MEDICINE



Addison Saunders, 165; 2, Francis Weeks, 130; and Joseph Perham, 164.

DASH: Seniors—1, Payson Brett, 152; 2, Leland Weeks, 130; 3, John Small, 164.

Junior: 1, Stanley Doughty, 164; 2, Joseph Perham, 164; Albert Roy, 119.

DOWNHILL: Seniors—1, Leland Weeks, 130; Dwight Sanborn, 130; 3, Lester Bennett, 130.

Junior: 1, Albert Roy, 119; 2, Stanley Doughty, 164; 3, Addison Saunders, 165.

SLALOM: Seniors—1, Dwight Sanborn, 130; 2, Addison Saunders, 165; 3, J. Ferguson, 165.

Junior: 1, Albert Roy, 119; 2, Stanley Doughty, 164.

Stanley Doughty, 164; 3, John Hicks, 130.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Richard Lawrence spent the week end at his home in Greenwood.

Mrs. Augustus Carter and daughter Ann spent the day with Mrs. Fannie Carter, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter and sons, Thomas and Timothy spent the week end at Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Willis Ward attended the P. T. A. at the Grammar School Monday evening.

Mrs. Fannie Carter was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Carter Sunday.

Miss Georgina Buck and Ronald W. Brooks, both of West Paris were married Saturday evening at eight o'clock by Rev. Eleanor Bicknell Forbes at her home. The double ring service was used. The bride is the daughter of George Buck, a graduate of West Paris High School, class of '44, member of the First Universalist Church and a teacher in the church school. She has been employed at Stanley Perham's. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks of Greenwood. He was educated in Woodstock Schools and has received honorable discharge from service. They will live at West Paris where Mr. Brooks is employed at the Wood Plastic Mill.

Richard Doughty son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doughty was severely injured when playing basketball at the Gymnasium. His intestine was ruptured and he was taken at once to the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where surgery was performed, and his name placed on the danger list. At latest report his condition is favorable.

NEW ARRIVALS

Ladies' & Misses'

SLACKS

SWEATERS

ALL COLORS AND SIZES

THE SPECIALTY SHOP

3 Broad Street Next to the Library

TRUCKING

Logs, Lumber and

Pulp Wood

RAYMOND W. HOLT

PHONE 105-11

NEW ALL PURPOSE

RIT

TINT AND DYE

Curtain Dye - Hosiery Dye

Bosserman's Drug Store

THE BEST FOODS

MOST TASTEFULLY

PREPARED

To you who are tired of

"restaurant cooking!" We

don't blame people for feel-

ing there's no place like

home when mealtime comes

if you haven't tried this

home-like restaurant, well-

known for tasteful home-

cooked food. Inexpensive

and thoroughly enjoyable.

THE BETHEL

RESTAURANT

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-six from day to day from the third Tuesday of said February. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of March, A. D. 1946, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ellsworth S. Lane, late of Upton, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Lyman Lane as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Lyman Lane, sole heir-at-law.

Mary H. Walker of Lovell, adult ward; Petition for license to sell real estate situated in Stoneham, County of Oxford, presented by Ellsworth S. Lane, guardian.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said court at Paris, this third Tuesday of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

EARL R. CLIFFORD, Register. 11

WEST PARIS

Miss Georgina Buck and Ronald W. Brooks, both of West Paris were married Saturday evening at eight o'clock by Rev. Eleanor Bicknell Forbes at her home. The double ring service was used. The bride is the daughter of George Buck, a graduate of West Paris High School, class of '44, member of the First Universalist Church and a teacher in the church school. She has been employed at Stanley Perham's. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks of Greenwood. He was educated in Woodstock Schools and has received honorable discharge from service. They will live at West Paris where Mr. Brooks is employed at the Wood Plastic Mill.

Richard Doughty son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doughty was severely injured when playing basketball at the Gymnasium. His intestine was ruptured and he was taken at once to the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where surgery was performed, and his name placed on the danger list. At latest report his condition is favorable.

NEW ARRIVALS

Ladies' & Misses'

SLACKS

SWEATERS

ALL COLORS AND SIZES

THE SPECIALTY SHOP

3 Broad Street Next to the Library

TRUCKING

Logs, Lumber and

Pulp Wood

RAYMOND W. HOLT

PHONE 105-11

NEW ALL PURPOSE

RIT

TINT AND DYE

Curtain Dye - Hosiery Dye

Bosserman's Drug Store

THE BEST FOODS

MOST TASTEFULLY

PREPARED

To you who are tired of

"restaurant cooking!" We

don't blame people for feel-

ing there's no place like

home when mealtime comes

if you haven't tried this

home-like restaurant, well-

known for tasteful home-

cooked food. Inexpensive

and thoroughly enjoyable.

THE BETHEL

RESTAURANT

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Several from this community attended the basketball tournament at Lewiston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Swan of Dixfield were Sunday callers of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton and Carlene Dorey were in Andover Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Swan Jr. and children of Bryant Pond visited Mrs. Ida Blake Monday.

Donald Cole of Bryant Pond was a guest of Virgil Curtis from Wednesday to Saturday of last week. Saturday they went to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds and daughter, Sandra of Norway were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington.

Louis Powers of Norway visited Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and children were dinner guests of Mrs. Joan Farrand at Locke Mills, Sunday.

NOTICE OF LOST BANK BOOK.

Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of deposit issued by said bank and numbered 2752 has been destroyed or lost and it is desired that a new book of deposit be issued to them.

Bethel Savings Bank,
By Fred F. Bean, Treas.,
Bethel, Maine.

Mrs. James Haines and children have been ill with the grippe. Word has been received that Donald Holt is ill in a Naval Hospital.

Granulated Rock Wool Full-Thick Wool Batts

The Supply Is Limited

Insulate Your Attic to Keep Out the Summer Heat and the Winter Cold.

Charles E. Merrill

BETHEL LUMBER MARKET

Complete, Full-Time, Prompt

GUARANTEED WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING

ENGRAVING.

The

Reynolds

JEWELRY STORE

Main Street, Bethel

YOUNG'S RED & WHITE STORE

HOT BOX

QUAKER OATS Reg. 27c

QUAKER OATS Quick 27c

CLOROX qt. 17c

DAZZLE qt. 17c

Palm Beach ORANGE JUICE Sweetened 46 oz. can 49c

Palm Beach ORANGE JUICE No. 2 can 29c

Smith YELLOW SPLIT PEAS 2 for 29c

Smith WHOLE GREEN PEAS 14c

ROBIN HOOD FLOUR 25 lbs. \$1.40

Last Lot Available Until Fall

344 CAL. NAVEL ORANGES 2 doz. 39c

392 CAL. NAVEL ORANGES 2 doz. 29c

FRESH FRUIT, MEATS, FISH, VEGETABLES

P. H. YOUNG, Prop. . . . Telephone 114

RED & WHITE

Home Loan Service

for VETERANS

★

Home Loans for returning veterans have been made available under the G. I. Bill. Under this act, veterans of World War II may secure financial assistance for the purchase or building of homes.

★

Home Loans are available at any CASCO BANK Office under the most satisfactory terms - interest rates are low, and loan terms are fitted to individual incomes.

★

For complete information on Veteran's Home Loans—who is eligible; how much of a loan can be secured; the size of the monthly payments; the period for repaying the loan; the interest rate - stop in at any CASCO BANK Branch Office. You'll find CASCO service prompt, courteous and helpful.

★

CASCO BANK & TRUST COMPANY

PORTLAND, MAINE

BETHEL BRIMFIELD BUCKFIELD FREEPORT LEBANON

ROCKPORT SOUTH PORTLAND WEST BOSTON WOODBURY

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

★ ★

HANOVER

Mrs. Frank Worces

neau have recent

installed in their

Jack Pinkham

was a visitor

home of Oscar

Wills Penney

Saturday of las

has employment

Mrs. Penney

staying with her

Mrs. Dwight E.

away.

Mrs. Ava Curt

visiting her sis

Stearns at Rumi

Tuesday afterno

Mabel Worcester

Mrs. Ella Russ

Wednesday.

Mrs. Clara Ray

very ill at the C

Mr. and Mrs. E

and Corp. Milon

N. H. were calli

town. Sunday.

Miss Francis H

a caller, recentl

her grandparents,

C. Holt.

It is rumored t

has sold his plac

of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Y

to go on a trip

they have friends

visit.

The Men's Club

lar meeting at

school house T

with a good att

An oyster stew

ed, after which

joyed, given by

M. A. salesman of

at

SUNDAY RIV

Mr. and Mrs. D

HANOVER

Correspondent—
Mrs. W. W. Worcester

Frank Worcester and Neri Babin have recently had a telephone installed in their houses.

Jack Pinkham, Franklin, N. H. was a visitor last week at the home of Oscar Dyke.

Willis Penney went to Rockland Saturday of last week where he has employment for a while.

Mrs. Penney and children are staying with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Elliot, while he is away.

Mrs. Ava Curtis, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Stearns at Rumford Point, visited Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mabel Worcester.

Mrs. Ella Russell went to Bethel Wednesday.

Mrs. Clara Rayford still remains very ill at the Cummings home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Mills, Norway, and Corp. Milton Mills, Manchester, N. H. were calling on relatives in town Sunday.

Miss Francis Holt, Rumford was a caller, recently at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holt.

It is rumored that Herbert Young has sold his place to Mr. Furgerson of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Young have planned to go on a trip to Ireland, where they have friends and relatives to visit.

The Men's Club held their regular meeting at Rumford Point school house Tuesday evening with a good attendance.

An oyster stew supper was served, after which readings were enjoyed, given by Mr. Packard, the I. G. A. salesman of Auburn.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fraser and children and Buster Williamson of Upton were recent callers at Clifton Jackson's.

Miss Marjorie Nowlin has completed work for Mrs. Grace Jackson.

Alvin Morrison of Boston was in Ketchum a few days last week.

Mr. Palmer and daughter Eunice of Ketchum were Sunday callers at R. M. Fleet's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Croteau of Bethel called on Mrs. Nettie Fleet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Horne and son, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roberts and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chase were Sunday callers at R. H. Foster's.

SCHOOL SAVINGS

Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	P	C
I	\$13.00	9.35	70	
II	6.00	4.15	79	
III	3.00	4.30	50	
IV	7.00	4.80	64	
V	\$29.00	\$22.00		
VI	\$9.00	\$7.65	63	
VII	3.00	4.65	47	
VIII	10.00	5.85	60	
	11.00	13.65	53	
	\$33.00	\$31.80		

First and Second are tied for the banner.

NORTH NEWRY

Miss Vada Enman of Rumford was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Tripp and their son, Roy were called to Brownfield Sunday to attend the funeral service of Mr. Tripp's mother.

L. E. Wight went to Sunday River Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Prescott of the Paper Co. was up in the woods looking over the Johnson Lumber Co. logging job the last of the week.

There was no Grange meeting Saturday night due to so much illness among the members.

Mrs. Virginia Blake Stewart arrived Wednesday night from Hartford, Conn.

Proceeds of the dinner served Town Meeting day by the Ladies of Newry will go to the Red Cross.

SOUTH ALBANY

Roy and Arthur Wardwell went over to E. Sumner last Friday.

George Wentworth and Leon Kimball were in Norway Saturday.

Ivan Kimball called at Leon Kimball's and Roy Wardwell's Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell attended Pomona Grange at Norway Lake last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney had a very sick calf last week. Dr. Merrill from South Paris attended it.

William Pechnik, recently discharged from the Army has been visiting his father, Joseph Pechnik.

Leon Kimball called at Preston Flint's Sunday.

ROWE HILL

Osman Palmer and daughter, Eunice were home from his work Sunday.

Chester Record went to South Paris Saturday afternoon to be nearer a doctor.

Wilmer Bryant, Ray Hanscom and wife were in South Paris Saturday.

Wilmer Bryant carried Mrs. Chester Record to South Paris Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom went to Locke Mills Sunday. Mr. Hanscom worked Monday at Tibbitts Mill and Mrs. Hanscom worked in the Hall Town meeting day.

Merle Lang and Sylvia Ring were callers at Wilma Bryant's Sunday.

This has been a warm week so far. The snow has settled in the roads.

BLAKE'S GARAGE & WELDING SHOP

Phones—Shop 44—Residence 42-4

Automobile Repairing

PIPE THAWING

This is an Official Inspection Station

USED CARS WANTED

IN GOOD CONDITION

O. K. CLIFFORD CO., Inc.

So. Paris, Maine Tel. 307

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Correspondent
The Farm Bureau met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Jenkins on Friday, March 8 with Miss Evelyn Lyman, H. D. A. present. Subject, "Remodeling Homes" which was ably presented by Miss Lyman and discussed by the members. Dinner was served to 10 women, 3 men and 3 children. Two more members joined at this meeting—Mrs. Lettie Douglass and Mrs. Albert E. Jenkins.

The school children gave their teacher, Mrs. Ernest Holt, a party on her birthday, the evening of March 12th at the schoolhouse. A few of the parents also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller and son of Bath have returned to town and moved into the Chase house beside Douglass' Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bernier are entertaining his brother, Robert Bernier, who has just returned from overseas.

A. H. Sanborn visited his sister, Mrs. C. A. Jenkins a few days last week.

LINCOLN PLANTATION

Officers Elected:

Moderator—D. Clinton Bennett

Clerk—Marjorie Littlehale

Selectmen—LeRoy W. Olson, D. Clinton Bennett, Everett Angvine

Treasurer—Lewis Olson

Collector—Lewis Olson

School Committee—Elvira Littlehale

Appropriations:

Roads and Bridges \$1,000.00

Snow Removal 1,200.00

Common Schools 1,700.00

High School (or Tuition) 4,700.00

School Supplies & Textbooks 75.00

Public Health Nurse 15.00

Maintenance State Road 65.00

Maintenance 3d Class Road 12.00

Town Lights 840.00

School House account 250.00

Town House account 100.00

State Aid Road Construction 533.00

Town Expenses 750.00

Road Machine account 100.00

Fish account 100.00

Cemetery Account 100.00

Total Appropriations \$12,133.00

MERCHANTS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY

268 Main Street, Buffalo 5, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1945

Real Estate \$123,623.14

Mortgage Loans 457,919.21

Stocks and Bonds 5,148,244.81

Cash in Office and Bank 1,213,003.60

Agents' Balances 1,302,342.58

Bills Receivable 4,874.97

Interest and Rents 20,067.28

Gross Assets \$8,265,075.65

Deduct Items not admitted 91,089.14

Admitted \$8,174,006.45

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1945

Net Unpaid Losses \$4,827,209.98

Unearned Premiums 2,086,009.50

All other Liabilities 248,081.66

Surplus over all Liabilities 1,012,705.26

Total Liabilities and Surplus \$8,174,006.45

WALTER E. BARTLETT, Agent

Bethel, Maine



Attention Mothers!

ESQUIRE STUDIO

will be at the

GATEWAY HOTEL

Bethel

ONE DAY ONLY — SATURDAY, MARCH 16

from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

You are cordially invited to bring your children (limit of 2 in a photo) to be photographed at that time.

For Only \$1.00

You will receive one

6" x 8" Photograph in Gorgeous Silvertone

No appointment needed

No age limit

Your choice of proofs

*Special attention to infants from 2 months.

Let's Tackle Inflation While We Can

You don't want your dollars to buy less and less and less!

You don't want your savings to melt away! Or the value of your life insurance to dwindle!

Yet that is what inflation can do to all of us. Therefore, thoughtful people everywhere are concerned with ways to smother it before it gets out of hand.

One major cause of inflation is a shortage of goods when people have money to spend for things they want.

That cause can be eliminated by the production of goods — fast — in quantity.

BUT THERE'S A BOTTLENECK

During the war there wasn't enough labor and materials to meet the needs of war and still produce all the civilian goods people wanted and could buy.

Therefore price controls on civilian goods were substituted for competition to keep prices down.

Today this country has all the labor and materials necessary to turn out the things people want.

Yet goods are still scarce. Store shelves are still bare. The national pocketbook continues to bulge. Inflation grows.

Why? Because price controls in peacetime hinder the production of goods. Business cannot live by producing at a loss. And so, goods that can't be made to sell at the prices fixed by the government just don't get made.

Nor will the raising of price ceilings solve the problem. When costs and selling prices are subject to change at any moment by government action, production has to be on a day-to-day basis.

That means uncertainty . . . reduced output . . . more inflation.

ISN'T THIS THE ANSWER?

Remove price controls on manufactured goods and production will step up fast.

Goods will then pour into the market and, within a reasonable time, prices will adjust themselves naturally — as they always have — in line with the real worth of things.

Competition has never failed to produce this result.

This is the way you can get the goods you want at prices you can afford to pay.

Please think this over. Then tell your representatives in Congress what you believe should be done. You owe it to yourself . . . and to your country's welfare.

LET'S SMOTHER INFLATION... A postcard addressed to the National Association of Manufacturers, 14 West 49th Street, New York 20, N. Y., will bring your copy of a booklet explaining in detail why price controls cause inflation.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS

★ For a Better Tomorrow for Everybody ★

HEADQUARTERS

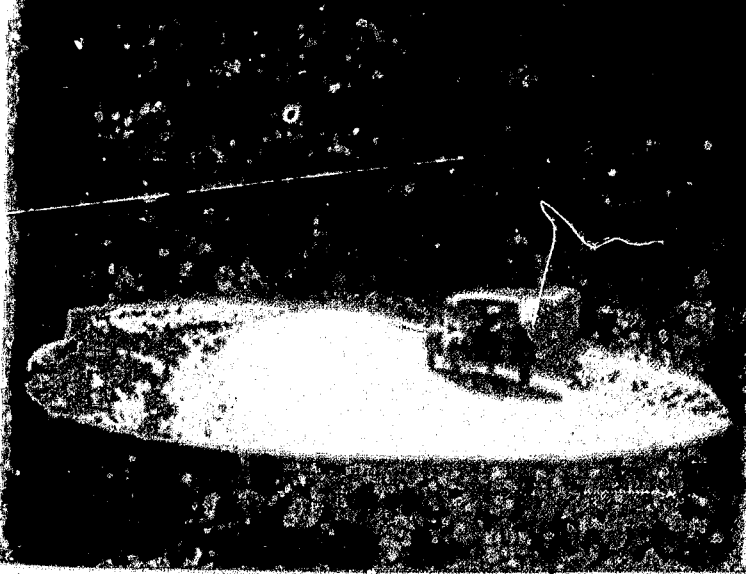
for
Fluorescent Lighting

14 WATT
15 WATT
20 WATT
40 WATT

TUBES
IN
STOCK

KITCHEN - LIVING ROOM - COMMERCIAL
SALES INSTALLATION SERVICE

THE
REYNOLDS JEWELRY STORE



Look down, look down, that lonesome road! . . . "they're" say singing those sadly beautiful lyrics to a favorite spiritual—but sadder still if they turn that dark, unlighted corner and crash head-on with another car! Death lurks on the inadequately lighted street and highway, waiting his chance to add another victim to his mounting toll of traffic fatalities. Play safe—see that your streets are brightly lighted. Play safe—or you'll play a harp!

Adv.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Serve a Salad... Save the Vitamins
(See Recipes Below)

Spring Salads

One of the best ways of fulfilling the vitamin and mineral requirement in the diet is to have a heaping bowl of fresh salad at luncheon or dinner. If tasty combinations of fruit and vegetable are used, the family will enjoy nibbling these precious morsels of health.

Salad greens should be washed thoroughly and examined carefully to insure the removal of all foreign substances. Then they are placed in a towel or a vegetable hydrator and called before being folded to gether. The bowl in which the ingredients are mixed and the plates on which the salad is served should also be chilled.

When salad materials are cut in pieces, they should be uniform and well-defined enough so that they will not lose their shape in the folding process.

A marinade is often used to add flavor to salad materials. This is made by mixing oil, salt, lemon juice or vinegar. Vegetables, fish or meat may stand an hour or so in the marinade before using. When several vegetables are used, each one should be marinated separately.

I have chosen several crisp spring salads which I know you will enjoy using. They will be particularly welcome with fish dinners or meals made up of casseroles or other hearty foods.

Jellied Vegetable Salad, (Serves 4 to 6)

- 1 envelope (1 tablespoon) unflavored gelatin
- 2 tablespoons cold water
- 2 tablespoons elder vinegar
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 5 tablespoons granulated sugar
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 cup diced, cooked carrots
- 1/2 cup diced celery
- 1 cup shredded cabbage

Soften gelatin in cold water. Mix the vinegar, lemon juice, salt, sugar and boiling water together. Bring to the boiling point, and add softened gelatin. Stir until gelatin dissolves. Chill until creamy. Fold in vegetables. Chill in refrigerator. Garnish with sliced cucumbers.

Garden Salad, (Serves 6)

- Lettuce
- Tomatoes
- Mustard greens
- Thin onions
- Sliced radishes
- Sliced carrot strips
- Green pepper rings
- Sliced tomatoes
- Sliced cucumbers

LYNN'S HINTS

Meat Cooking Hints: Sticking meat to the side of meat breaks it apart. To avoid this, use a fork to turn the meat. Do not use a fork to turn the meat. Do not use a fork to turn the meat.

Vegetable Hints: To keep vegetables from becoming limp, do not wash them until just before using. Do not wash them until just before using.

Salad Hints: To keep salad from becoming wilted, do not dress it until just before serving. Do not dress it until just before serving.

General Hints: To keep food from becoming stale, do not store it for long periods. Do not store it for long periods.

Storage Hints: To keep food from becoming spoiled, do not store it in warm places. Do not store it in warm places.

Preparation Hints: To keep food from becoming dry, do not overcook it. Do not overcook it.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENUS

- Cheese Souffle
- Carrots and Green Beans
- Bran Muffins
- Apple Butter
- Cabbage, Apple and Raisin Slaw
- Fruit Fritters
- Lemon Sauce
- Beverage

Arrange crisp greens in salad bowl. Add onions, radishes, carrot strips and green pepper rings. Make a border of alternating slices of tomato and cucumber. Just before serving, toss with french dressing. Cut paper-thin lengthwise slices of carrot. Flute like ribbon candy. Secure with toothpicks. Drop into ice water. Remove toothpicks when thoroughly chilled and crisp.

Vitamin Salad, (Serves 6)

- 5 cups shredded raw spinach
- 1 cucumber
- 3 tomatoes
- 12 radishes
- Mustard salad dressing

Wash spinach thoroughly; break leaves into small pieces; measure five cups. Peel cucumber; score lengthwise with tines of fork; slice. Peel and slice tomatoes. Slice radishes. Combine, serve with mustard salad dressing.

Some fruits and vegetables such as the celery may be served just sliced in half, without peeling, and removing the seed with the sharp point of a knife, and sprinkling with lemon juice and salt.

If you are looking for molded fruit salad, you will like the following:

Lime Fruit Salad, (Serves 12)

- 1 package lime gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 cup cold water
- 4 slices canned pineapple
- 1/2 cup canned white cherries
- 1/2 cup red seeded grapes, cut into fancy shapes
- 4 pears, halved

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water and add cold water. Set aside to cool slightly. Add fruit and pour into mold. Chill until firm.

Garnish:

- Head lettuce and endive
- Pimiento cream cheese
- 1 No. 2 1/2 can pears
- Cream cheese
- Raisins
- Nuts
- Preserved ginger
- Sliced pineapple

Mix cream cheese with chopped nuts, raisins and ginger, and stuff pears. Use as garnish or add time around. Top with pimiento cream cheese flower. Place slices of pineapple topped with pimiento cream cheese between pears. Garnish with endive. Serve with mayonnaise.

Frozen Pistachio Cheese Salad, (Serves 8)

- 3 3-ounce packages cream cheese
- 1/2 ounces blue cheese
- Green food coloring
- 1/2 cup chopped pistachio nuts
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- 1/2 cup light or heavy cream
- Lettuce
- Radish roses
- Cucumber slices
- French dressing

Mix the cream cheese and the blue cheese with a fork until soft. Add a little green water food coloring. Add the lemon juice, salt and sugar. Add the cream. Freeze in a freezing tray of an automatic refrigerator with temperature control at coldest setting and spread smooth with a spatula to a thickness of about 1/2 inch. Freeze until firm. Cut into small squares and serve on crisp lettuce. In the center of individual salad plates, with radish roses and cucumber slices around it, serve with french dressing.

LYNN'S HINTS

Meat Cooking Hints: Sticking meat to the side of meat breaks it apart. To avoid this, use a fork to turn the meat. Do not use a fork to turn the meat. Do not use a fork to turn the meat.

Vegetable Hints: To keep vegetables from becoming limp, do not wash them until just before using. Do not wash them until just before using.

Salad Hints: To keep salad from becoming wilted, do not dress it until just before serving. Do not dress it until just before serving.

General Hints: To keep food from becoming stale, do not store it for long periods. Do not store it for long periods.

Storage Hints: To keep food from becoming spoiled, do not store it in warm places. Do not store it in warm places.

Preparation Hints: To keep food from becoming dry, do not overcook it. Do not overcook it.



House-to-Auto Phone Call

(Following the recent announcement that house-to-car and car-to-car telephoning will soon be in operation.)

Wife—Central, this is a car call. Central—Car call, who? Wife—Car call, car call! Central—Clark Hall? You'll have to look up his number in the book.

Wife—Listen, I'm trying to get an automobile. Central—You'll find a list of salesrooms in the back of the directory. Wife—Please, Central, please! I wish to phone my husband who is in his auto. The number is 68-355 J.

Central—Is that a sedan exchange or a limousine number? Wife—It's on the silver circuit. Central—(after a minute or two)—That car seems to be busy.

Wife—It's just the way it acts. Try again please. Central—I got an answer just a second ago. Didn't you get it? Wife—No. That was a backfire! Central—Excuse it, please!

Voice—Hello, Is this Fickelstein's Restaurant?

Wife—No. Please get off the wire. Central—Did you get your party? Wife—I didn't even come close. Central—I'm certain I heard somebody answer.

Wife—No. It's just a rather noisy car.

Central—Here's your party!

Wife—Hello. This is Buxbaum's Moving Van.

Wife—Wrong connection!

Central—There seems to be a little trouble. Ah, now I have it.

Wife—Murphy's Beach Wagon... what can I do for you?

Wife—Oh get your old beach wagon off the wire.

Murphy—You can't talk to my beach wagon like that.

Central—Excuse it please. Now I have the number you asked for, madam.

Wife—Is this you, Gerald?

Husband—Yes, Honey. But you'll have to speak louder. I can't hear you. Oh, my mistake! I had the cigar lighter in my ear by mistake.

Maybe It's Just a Dream

Wonders will never cease. The New York Stock Exchange is now running big space advertisements to keep the public from playing the market!

It is spending thousands of dollars warning people to buy no stock without being sure of the facts behind it. It is blasting tips, rumors and brokerage office gossip.

We expect the following trend any day:

BEWARE OF WALL STREET!

A fool and his money are soon parted. Never buy a security unless you are rich, well informed and especially rugged! Write the Stock Exchange now for its special booklet.

How to Realize a Rumor in Ten Lessons.

That Hollywood director who

slugged a youth five times in a nightclub while the victim was sitting in a chair must have as his slogan, "Never hit a man when he is UP!"

Harvard is conducting a special

research into cures for deafness. Its present difficulty is to determine whether Yale men are deaf or just not listening.

Big Crosby and Barry Fitzgerald

are to be getting in a new movie, for which Allah be praised. In "Going My Way" they attack this department as a team that made the picture what it was. They ported and Bing appeared without Barry in "The Bells of St. Mary's," a film which needed Fitzgerald badly.

Hollywood studio workers are

demanding a 50 per cent wage raise. Nobody out there ever does things in a small way. If things come to a strike we hope the fight between employers and workers will be photographed and used as a new pattern for those screen battles which still follow the routine of 1937.

FASHIONING AMERICANISMS

1. The banquet will cost \$1 per

plate, including cocktail.

2. Let's take the whole two dollars

and buy a lot of stuff for an all day picnic!

3. I'll take that 12 pair of shoes for

the little boy.

4. Yes, that 40 cent lunch will be

all right.

Breathes there a man with soul

so dead?

Who has not lately sadly said:

Is this my own, native land?

—Fred Dahl

"Might I make it land?"—Head

line

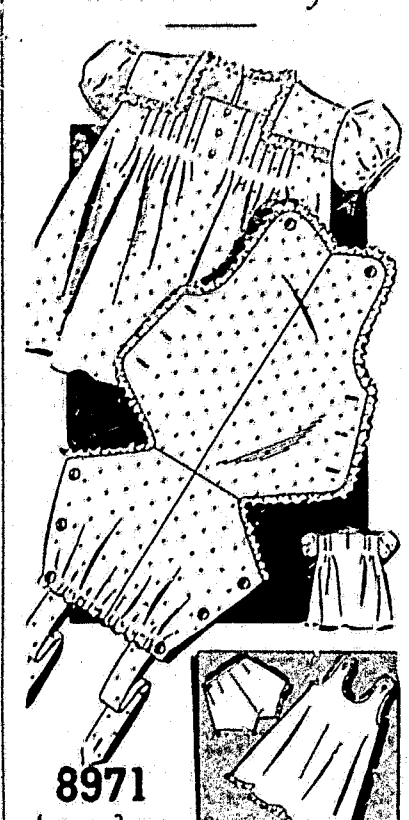
Turn about is fair play

ENTERTAINMENT

Let's go to a musical comedy

No. 1 want to laugh

Dainty Wardrobe For the Tiny Tot



8971
6 mos.-3 yrs.

YOUR little tot will look like the angel she is in this dainty square-necked dress. Note the soft lace or ruffle edging, the pert puffed sleeves. Pattern includes an easy-to-make sunsuit—why not run up several in different colors for warm weather. Slip and panties complete a grand ensemble for the younger set.

Pattern No. 8971 is designed for sizes 6 months, 1, 2 and 3 years. Size 1, dress, 1 1/2 yards of 35 or 38-inch sunsuit, 1 1/2 yards; slip and panties, 1 1/2 yards of 35-inch.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERN DEPT.
1150 Sixth Ave. New York, N. Y.

Enclose 25 cents in coins for each pattern desired.

Pattern No. _____ Size _____

Name _____

Address _____

Oriental on U. S. Stamp

The only Oriental personage whose portrait has appeared on a U. S. postage stamp is Dr. Sun Yat-sen, first president of the Chinese republic, who was honored on our China Commemorative stamp issued in 1942.

EXTRA GOOD BREAD!



USE FLEISCHMANN'S ACTIVE FRESH YEAST

THERE'S NO LOST ACTION WITH FRESH YEAST! And Fleischmann's fresh Yeast goes right to work because it's actively fresh. No waiting—no extra steps—Fleischmann's fresh Yeast helps give full delicious bread flavor, tender smooth texture—perfect freshness.

IF YOU BAKE AT HOME, always ask for Fleischmann's active fresh Yeast with the familiar yellow label. Dependable—America's favorite for over 70 years.

Always fresh—at your grocer's

By EDWARD EM...

WNU Features

The roses nowhere...

Bloom so white...

As in Virginia...

The sunshiny no...

Seems so bright...

As in Virginia.

WITH traditional leisu...

and graciousness...

pride upholds its title...

Don'ton," "Cradle of a...

Birthplace of P...

Rich in historical associ...

ance of Virginia is int...

war and wool of a nation...

Wars and lore deep in t...

people.

A part of old England...

spread across the wide A...

and standards set up...

land. Through hard...

growth, those princip...

strength and new...

flowered in Geor...

Wisdom and talen...

of Thomas Jeffe...

the rousing voice of Pa...

and in the genius a...

of Robert E. Lee...

of Jamestown, the fir...

English settlement in...

made in 1607. At Yo...

the American Revol...

the surrender of...

the British army.

settled in 1632, is s...

the first incorporated...

America, and was the...

from 1690 to 1...

Commonwealth was the...

the campaigns in the...

closed with the sur...

army, April, 1865, at...

the house near Lyn...

the Commonwealth of...

named for Elizabeth...

the queen. "Heaven a...

agreed better to fran...

man's habitation." O...

of this new land for...

territory once...

Indiana, Ohio and...

When Charles...

he wore a robe o...

and had engraved on...

which kingdom shou...

land, Scotland, Ir...

Virginia has been the...

Presidents, includ...

Taylor and Wilson...

from other states...

Thomas...

Madison, James M...

they were resident...

when they took off...

the pages of a...

art and science...

ing them as Princ...

George Rogers Cla...

Lewis, John Randol...

Stonewall Jackso...

But the list of V...

too long to name...

topography of Virg...

the coastal plan...

NATURAL BRIDGE...

Virginia's scenic w...

is 215 feet high and...

cross the top.

CHARMING WILLIAMSBURG

one of the most importa...

social and political...

Virginia were written...

burg, the colonial...

of which is now res...

original charm. In its...

Williamsburg reflect...

its inception, Willi...

place as one of the...

stant centers of cult...

here in the colonies...

pre-eminence for 80 ye...

seat of Virginia's gov...

GOOD BREAD!
MANN'S
ACTIVE
FRESH YEAST
FRESH YEAST
is right to work
—no extra steps—
all delicious bread
freshness.

you can't
Drops. Our
we hope,
brothers...
hol, 5¢.

FROM
BRUISES
F JOINTS - BRUISES
NEED is
NIMENT

one
IPS
BITE"

connected bars are
are triple-braced,
eases tread life.

me-saving features
s farm preference
hips. And they are
pay you to have
on your present
round Grips when

Center Blis" traction
because of Firestone's

the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

LIFE
CORD BODY

RE DRAWBAR PULL

RUBBER

Carry Me Back To Old Virginia

"The Old Dominion"

NICKNAME: The Old Dominion
STATE FLOWER: American
Dogwood
MOTTO: Sic Semper Tyrannis
CAPITAL: Richmond

By EDWARD EMERINE
WNU Features

The roses nowhere
Bloom so white,
As in Virginia;
The sunshine nowhere
Seems so bright,
As in Virginia.

WITH traditional leisure, charm and graciousness, Virginia proudly upholds its title of "Old Dominion," "Cradle of a Nation," and "Birthplace of Presidents."

A part of old England was transplanted across the wide Atlantic, its traditions and standards set up in a rich, fertile soil. Through hardships, wars and trials, those principles took on new growth, the virgin soil added strength and new meaning.

The Commonwealth of Virginia was founded in 1607. At Yorktown in 1781, the American Revolution ended with the surrender of Cornwallis to the British army. Williamsburg, settled in 1632, is said to be the oldest incorporated town in America, and was the capital of Virginia from 1699 to 1780.

The Commonwealth was the scene of many campaigns in the Civil War which closed with the surrender of Lee's army, April, 1865, at Appomattox, a small town near Lynchburg.

The Commonwealth of Virginia is named for Elizabeth, England's first queen. "Heaven and earth never agreed better to frame a place for a queen's habitation," Capt. John Rolfe declared. It was he who joined this new land for his queen.

Virginia's territory once included Maryland, Indiana, Ohio and West Virginia. When Charles II was restored he wore a robe of Virginia and had engraved on coins that the British kingdom should consist of England, Scotland, Ireland and Virginia.

Virginia has been the birthplace of Presidents, including Harry Truman and Wilson, who were born in other states. George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe and John Adams were residents of Virginia when they took office. The names of other Virginians, however, fill the pages of history.

Among them are Princess Pocahontas, George Rogers Clark, Meri Lewis, John Randolph, John Marshall, Stonewall Jackson, Henry Clay. But the list of Virginia's names is too long to name here!

The geography of Virginia is a study in contrasts. The coastal plain, known as the Tidewater, is a flat, fertile area that stretches for miles.

NATURAL BRIDGE... One of Virginia's scenic wonders, it is 215 feet high and 90 feet across the top.

WARMING WILLIAMSBURG... One of the most important pages in the social and political history of Virginia were written in Williamsburg, the colonial capital, of which is now restored to original charm. In its appearance, Williamsburg reflected English miniature. From its inception, Williamsburg was placed as one of the most important centers of culture and commerce in the colonies. It kept its pre-eminence for 80 years until the capital of Virginia's government



WILLIAM M. TUCK
Governor of Virginia
Former marine, school teacher, lawyer, legislator and lieutenant-governor, Gov. William Munford Tuck is Virginia's 61st chief executive.

as the Tidewater, was the first settled. The colonists planted tobacco there and watched its green leaves turn to gold. Cornfields were plentiful in the sun, and gardens gave generously of food for the table. The Tidewater consists of low-lying lands intersected by numerous tidal estuaries and rivers.

The central part of the state is known as the Piedmont, which rises to the Blue Ridge mountains. The Piedmont is noted for thoroughbred horses, and is the fox-hunting and



BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS... Overlooking the Shenandoah valley, this scene is from a bridge path in the Shenandoah National park. A section of the 107-mile-long Skyline drive is at the right.

home-raising country which respects the old-time traditions of old Virginia. It was here that the first tobacco was raised for export to England. Between the Blue Ridge and the Alleghenies lies the Shenandoah valley, one of the most fertile of the Confederacy. Its climate is varied, and so are its crops.

It was the tobacco that first drew men to this land, but later, when there was war between the states, the tobacco fields were turned to the physical needs of the soldiers. The tobacco fields were turned to the physical needs of the soldiers.

Virginia's weather is a pattern, whether they lived in the Tidewater or the mountains.

was moved to Richmond from war-torn Williamsburg in 1799. With the capital gone, Williamsburg gradually sank into the somnolence of a quiet county seat and college town.

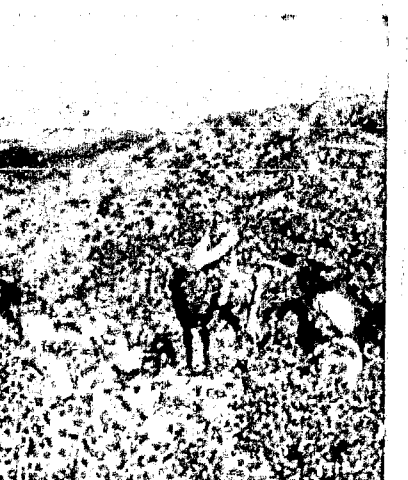
John D. Rockefeller Jr. saw in the restoration of the old city an opportunity for a great educational undertaking and provided financial aid to rebuild it. After an exhaustive research to make the work accurate and authentic, the restoration or reconstruction of 311 colonial buildings has been completed.

Tidewater, the Piedmont or the valley. Theirs was a government founded upon a constitution that guaranteed individual liberty. They defended their beliefs; they fought for their rights. The tobacco rebellion of 1775 antedated the Boston Tea party by a century. "Give me liberty or give me death," spoken by Patrick Henry, was the clarion call to independence, and Thomas Jefferson set down on paper our American bill of rights.

After the close of the Revolutionary war, the great westward movement came as men sought even newer lands. There were hundreds of Virginians among them, in wide-tented wagons, dragged by horses and oxen. Three great gateways opened from Virginia to the frontier. To the northeast was the channel of the Potomac river, the gateway known to Washington. In the center was the gateway of Buffalo Gap and Goshen Pass. The third was Cumberland Gap, known to Daniel Boone, and opening the towering Cumberland mountains to Kentucky.

While there were Virginians on every frontier, ready to pioneer and build America, most of the old stock remained close to their native soil. The Commonwealth of Virginia has never stopped building. Its soil has always been productive. Its mines and factories yield their wealth.

Agriculture is constantly expanding. Corn and tobacco are grown in Virginia. Cotton is raised along the southern border, and peanuts are a valuable crop. Smithfield hams, from hogs fattened on peanuts, are



BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS... Overlooking the Shenandoah valley, this scene is from a bridge path in the Shenandoah National park. A section of the 107-mile-long Skyline drive is at the right.

home-raising country which respects the old-time traditions of old Virginia. It was here that the first tobacco was raised for export to England. Between the Blue Ridge and the Alleghenies lies the Shenandoah valley, one of the most fertile of the Confederacy. Its climate is varied, and so are its crops.

It was the tobacco that first drew men to this land, but later, when there was war between the states, the tobacco fields were turned to the physical needs of the soldiers. The tobacco fields were turned to the physical needs of the soldiers.

Virginia's weather is a pattern, whether they lived in the Tidewater or the mountains.

was moved to Richmond from war-torn Williamsburg in 1799. With the capital gone, Williamsburg gradually sank into the somnolence of a quiet county seat and college town.

John D. Rockefeller Jr. saw in the restoration of the old city an opportunity for a great educational undertaking and provided financial aid to rebuild it. After an exhaustive research to make the work accurate and authentic, the restoration or reconstruction of 311 colonial buildings has been completed.

Veterans SERVICE BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the column which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

Factors That Determine Veteran's Pension Rate

Where veterans of World War II have a disability incurred in or aggravated by service in the armed forces, there is no set disability pension he may receive, the amount being determined by the degree of disability upon examination by the Veterans' administration.

The rates of pension range from \$11.50 per month for a disability of a degree of 10 per cent to \$115 a month for total disability, and where certain specific disabilities occur, such as loss of hands or legs, or blindness, or combinations of disabilities, the amount payable may be as high as \$245 per month. These rates are determined, as near as possible upon the average impairment of earning capacity.

It must be remembered, and particularly in cases of World War I veterans, where application is made for disability pension, not service-connected, that these pensions are not payable if the disability is the result of the veteran's own willful misconduct or vicious habits. A veteran whose disability is not service-connected, pension is not payable to the veteran where the annual income is \$1,600 if unmarried, or if it exceeds \$2,500 if he is married.

Many times, the experience shows, according to the Veterans' administration, World War I veterans applying for pensions years after World War I for non-service-connected disability are turned down because the Veterans' administration feels the disability is due to the willful misconduct or vicious habits of the veteran.

Questions and Answers

Q. My son has been in the army for 22 months and spent 16 months in England, France, Belgium and now in Germany. He is with the 22d Quartermaster truck company. Does the war department have any word when this company will be shipped home? Mrs. H. N. Plankington, N. D.

A. A copy of your son's discharge papers should be sent to the war department and he will be returned to his country.

Q. My son, who is in Japan, made out his insurance papers to me before he went overseas. I have been married since that time. Do I have to have my name changed on the policy? Mrs. J. W. Fort Bragg, Calif.

A. The Veterans' administration says it would not make a difference, but you will probably have more time to the extent the insurance company pays. The veteran must make application to the insurance company for a change of name.

Q. Is a widow of a World War I veteran who is elderly and in poor health, eligible for a pension if she has an income of \$100 a month? Mrs. W. Mc., Arlington, Mass.

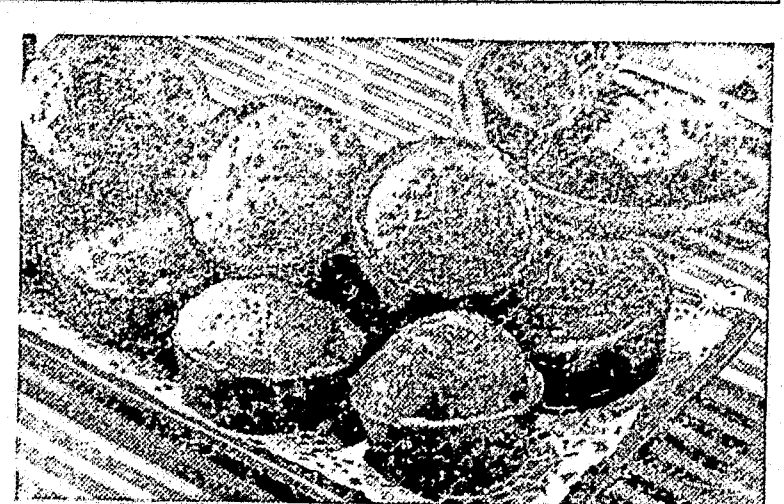
A. If death was service-connected, she is entitled to a pension. If not service-connected, she is not entitled to a pension. If she has an income of \$100 a month, she is not eligible for a pension. The Veterans' administration office, however, because the law says that certain items are considered income and determined as to whether the claimant's income exceeds the respective amount set by the Veterans' administration.

Q. My son was given an honorable discharge in May, 1945. I wish to know if he should draw a pension, as he was wounded in Belgium. He was with Patton's 3rd army. He was a member of the American Legion at Fayette, Ark., Post No. 127, but as yet has not even been examined for a pension. No one knows about the nervous disposition he has except his parents. —Mrs. E. M., Fayette, Ark.

A. From your letter, I can't say just how much he is entitled to a disability rating, but he must apply to the Veterans' administration for an examination for determination of the amount. Apply immediately to your nearest office of the Veterans' administration for this examination.

Q. My boy died in the army in France. I want to know how I can get the large flag they put over the casket to bury them. I know of some mothers who have received them. I would thank you if you can tell me. —Broken-hearted mother, Brownsville, Tenn.

A. Relatives or next of kin of deceased veterans, who died in service, may receive a United States flag by application to the postmaster at any county seat post office. Application may be made on Veterans' Administration form 2008 available at local office.



M-m-m muffins! No sugar, no shortening needed!

If you want to get compliments the easy way—just whip up a batch of these luscious, nut-sweet Molasses ALL-BRAN Muffins. They're tender and tasty, and they take no precious sugar or shortening. Yet they're packed with good nutrition!

2 cups Kellogg's ALL-BRAN 1 egg
1/2 cup molasses 1 cup sifted flour
1 1/2 cups milk 1 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt

Add KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN to molasses and milk; let soak for 15 minutes. Beat egg; add to first mixture. Sift flour, soda and salt together, combine with ALL-BRAN mixture. Fill greased muffin pans two-thirds full. Bake in moderately hot oven (400° F.) about 20 minutes. Makes 15 delicious muffins. Why not try 'em today?

Good Nutrition, too!

ALL-BRAN is made from the VITAL FIBER LAXER of finest wheat, contains a concentration of the protective food elements found in the whole grain. One-half cup provides over 1/2 your daily minimum need for iron. Serve ALL-BRAN daily!



If PETER PAIN PUMMELS YOU WITH MEAN MUSCLE ACHE...

..RUB IN Ben-Gay QUICK

• Ben-Gay acts fast to relieve muscular ache and pain—because it contains two famous pain-relieving ingredients known to every doctor. Yes, Ben-Gay contains up to 2 1/2 times more of these tested ingredients—methyl salicylate and menthol—than five other widely offered rub-ins. No wonder it's so fast, so soothing! Get genuine Ben-Gay.

BEN-GAY—THE ORIGINAL ANALGESIC BAUME
Also for PAIN DUE TO RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA AND COLDS. THERE'S ALSO MILD BEN-GAY FOR CHILDREN.

LIGHTER MOMENTS with fresh "Eveready" Batteries

"I'm afraid he isn't quite reconverted yet!"

FOR A TIME, you had to take whatever flashlight batteries you could get. But that time has passed. "Eveready" Flashlight Batteries are back. You can buy them. Ask for them at your dealer.

That's good news indeed. Flashlight batteries may look alike, but that similarity is only skin deep. There are important differences inside every "Eveready" battery—differences that mean longer life!

Eveready
TRADE-MARK

The word "Eveready" is a registered trade mark of National Carbon Company, Inc.

Classified Advertising

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

Each word more than 25, one cent per word the first week and one-half cent per word each succeeding week.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New Roll-Away bed mattress included. Price \$15. MRS. GLADYS G. BEAN, 11p

FOR SALE—Large Crib, maple finish. Excellent condition. MRS. HERMAN CUMMINGS, Locke Mills, 11p

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE—\$2.50 per hundred; Untrunked plants at the farm \$12.00 per hundred for 2000 or more. EARLY SLOPE FARM, N. Bridgton, Me., 15p

FOR SALE—Oak extension dining table. H. E. LITTLEFIELD, 15p

Baked Beans and Brown Bread to take out. Order Fridays. BETHEL RESTAURANT, 1p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Copies of Lapham's History of Rumford. STUART MARTIN, Rumford Point, 1p

YOU BRING 'EM, WE FIX 'EM. Shoes, Rubbers, and harnesses. Pulp hooks and cant dog hooks. E. M. KNIGHT, Rumford Point, Me., 15p

WOOLEN MATERIAL—Dark, Pastels, Plaids—Light, Medium, Heavy Weight. Pocket Books and Knitting Bags. ELIZABETH REYNOLDS, Tel. 20-11, 15p

Have Tractor—Attached Wood-working outfit and will saw wood on appointment. L. O. MILLETT, Tel. 24-2, 11p-12

PHOTO SERVICE—Developing, Printing, Enlarging. One post card size enlargement given FREE with every film developed. Prompt Service. LELAND BROWN, Bethel, 12p

Leave Shoes at Chamberlin's Store for repair and clothes to clean Wednesday and Saturday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DYERS, INC., Auburn, Maine, 44p

LEAVE SHOES AT EARL DAVIS' for repair. RICHIE'S SHOE SHOP, Gorham, N. H., 40p

BUSINESS CARDS

E. L. GREENLEAF OPTOMETRIST

will be at his rooms over Rowe's Store
SATURDAY, APRIL 6

Mrs. Ruth W. Hopkins
SPIRELLA CORSETIERE
Rumford Point, Maine
PHONE RUMFORD 027M4
FOR APPOINTMENT
IN BETHEL WEDNESDAYS

HALI'S BARBER SHOP

MAIN STREET

GERRY BROOKS
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Broad Street
BETHEL, MAINE
Telephone 74

JOHN F. IRVINE
Cemetery Memorials
Granite, Marble, & Bronze
LETTERING—CLEANING
PHONE BETHEL 23-31

ELMER E. BENNETT
AGENT
New York Life Insurance Co.
Bethel, Maine
Telephone 110

S. S. Greenleaf
Funeral Home
Modern Ambulance & Hearse
TELEPHONE 112 BETHEL, ME.
DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

DR. RALPH O. HOOD
Osteopathic Physician
at the home of
P. O. Brink, Main Street
Mondays 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Evening by appointment

MONUMENTS
JAMES P. MURPHY CO.
INC.
Lewiston Monumental Works
"Over 20 Years of Experience"
Write For Catalogue
5-10 Bates St. Lewiston, Me.

MAINE IN WASHINGTON

(From the Office of Senator Owen Brewster)

Stassen To Maine
The State of Maine was commemorated this week by the acceptance of Commander Harold Stassen of Minnesota to be the keynote speaker at the Republican State Convention at Bangor on April 11th and 12th.

Commander Stassen, former Governor of Minnesota, is in great demand as a public speaker representing the viewpoint of many Americans young and old and his words are being widely watched as one of the formative elements in Republican policies.

The Maine Republican Convention in early April furnishes the opening gun in the national political campaign and apparently afforded an inviting forum for Commander Stassen to expound his view of Republican doctrine to his fellow Republicans in the nation.

Miss Marion Martin
All the Maine Delegation in Washington are planning to be in Bangor for the Convention along with Miss Marion Martin who for ten years now has been in charge of organization activities for the Republican National Committee among the women of the nation.

More recently Miss Martin formulated and is now conducting the campaign for the organization of men and women alike and the indoctrination of precinct leaders. Pamphlets prepared under the direction of Miss Martin are now being circulated throughout the country and immediately after the Maine Convention Miss Martin starts a series of sectional meetings to cover the country meeting with groups of Republican Committeemen.

The national organization is functioning now at high speed with a splendid organization and the new chairman to be selected early in April will find a finely functioning organization when he takes over.

Miss Martin has now served under four different chairmen and is perhaps more widely acquainted with the Republican organization throughout the nation than any other individual as a result of her long experience.

Brewsters Entertain at Dinner
Senator and Mrs. Owen Brewster were hosts at one of the largest dinners of the winter given at the Sulgrave Club on Massachusetts Avenue with covers laid for seventy-two.

The Maine Delegation in Washington assisted Senator and Mrs. Brewster in receiving and entertaining their guests and as a result at the six small tables seating twelve guests each placed about the ballroom of the Sulgrave Club where an orchestra entertained during dinner.

Among the guests were Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Forrestal, Senator and Mrs. Wallace H. White Jr., Senator and Mrs. Kenneth C. Wheeler, Senator and Mrs. William F. Knowland, Congressman and Mrs. Sherman Adams, Congressman and Mrs. Robert H. Taft, Congressman and Mrs. Charles H. McNamara, Congressman Margaret Chase Smith, Congressman Frank J. Murphy, Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Stuart Symington, Hon. Nellie Taylor Ross, Director of the Mint, Mrs. Joseph R. Farrington, wife of the delegate from Hawaii and the following Maine people: Major General and Mrs. Frank Lowe, Colonel and Mrs. Harold March, Hon. Carroll Hardy, former Representative, Colonel and Mrs. Charles B. Dustin and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butler. Among those also present were many of the overseas comrades of Captain Brewster during his three year tour of duty abroad who are now serving in Washington.

Maine's Amateur Champion Basketball Team

Maine's Amateur Champion Basketball team from the Bethel Iron Works caught a glimpse of Washington and Washington caught a glimpse of the champions when they came to town last week en route to the National Amateur Basketball Tournament at Atlantic City. The team drew excellent crowds in the opening round. It was all of the boys and girls who were interested in two of the best players on the team. The champions were the guests of Mrs. Margaret Chase Smith, Maine's congresswoman from the Second District. After entertaining them at breakfast in the House of Representatives Restaurant where Senator Brewster dined in for a week, Mrs. Smith took the team to the House Naval Affairs Committee hearing on the Super Bombs. Later in the day Mrs. Smith took them to the famous musical variety hearing where they heard Senator Brewster question and cross-questioning the witnesses.

There were fifteen athletes in the group under the direction of John Conley, permanent director of the Bethel Iron Works. The group made a most excellent appearance and attracted considerable attention as they went about visiting the capital and other famous nearby buildings.

Justin Lawrie
A Maine man, Justin Lawrie, came in to the metropolitan news this past week when he and his associate "Choral Singers" featured to the annual concert of the State of Maine Society. Mr. Lawrie is a singer of well recognized ability who got his early musical inspiration from Professor William H. Chapman when he was an extreme high tenor in the day Mrs. Smith took them to the famous musical variety hearing where they heard Senator Brewster question and cross-questioning the witnesses.

Mr. Lawrie is Director of Music at the Foundry Methodist Church on 18th Street and of the oldest and most prominent churches in

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
John J. Foster, Minister

9:45 Church School, Mrs. Lota Hutchinson, superintendent.
11:00 Morning Worship, Sermon Topic, "Those Who Knew Him Best."

There will not be any Pilgrim Fellowship meeting on Sunday evening.

President Charles Phillips of Bates College will be the speaker on our Village Forum meeting on Sunday night at eight o'clock in the church auditorium.

There will be a meeting of the Music Committee at the Manse on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Ladies Club will meet on Thursday afternoon, March 21st, at the home of Mrs. E. F. Ireland at three o'clock. Mrs. B. R. Billings of Bryant Pond will lecture on flower arrangement.

Rev. Robert N. Foster of Gorham, New Hampshire will be the guest speaker at our Union Lenten Service at the Methodist Church on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH
William Penner, Pastor

9:45 Church School, Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent.
11:00 Morning Worship Service

The fourth message in the Lord's Prayer series: "Thy Will Be Done, On Earth as it is in Heaven."

6:30 Youth Fellowship meeting at the church. There will be an installation service for the newly elected officers.

On Thursday, March 21st, the Union Lenten Service will be held in the Methodist Church. The speaker will be the Rev. Robert N. Foster, minister of the Gorham Congregational Church.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday services at 10:45 A. M. All are cordially invited to attend. "Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, March 17.

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit; for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God" (1 Cor. 2:9-10).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Substance is that which is eternal and incapable of discord and decay. Spirit and its formations are the only realities of being. When we learn the way in Christian Science and recognize man's spiritual being, we shall behold and understand God's creation—all the glories of earth and heaven and man" (pages 468: 17-18, and 264: 20, 28-31).

BORN

In Farmington, March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Glynis Sawin, a daughter, Joanne.

MARRIED

In West Paris, March 9, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Ronald W. Brooks and Miss Georgina Buck, both of West Paris.

DIED

In Milton, March 11, Mrs. Florence wife of Ezekiah Merrill, aged 57 years.

In Port Devens, Mass., March 11, T. Sgt. Ralph G. Kennerman of West Paris, aged 29 years.

In Milton, March 10, Walter S. Millett, aged 77 years.

LOVELL

Officers Elected:
Moderator—Waldo N. Heavey
Secretary—A. Evelyn Stone

Members: P. Truman Stearns, Wilbert F. Harriman, Gordon M. Eastman

Treasurer—Avis D. Stearns
Collectors—Ruth R. Stamford
Rate paid Collector—.005

School Committee—Edgar F. Grover
Road Commissioner—Elmer S. Eastman, Gustav L. Heim

Appropriations:
Roads and Bridges \$4,930.00
New Removal 2,000.00

Common Schools 7,287.00
High School (no tuition) 8,445.00
School Supplies, Textbooks 700.00

Public Health Nurse 50.00
Maintenance State Road 299.94
Maintenance 23 Class Road 504.94

Support of Poor 3,000.00
Public Bonds 70.00
Town Charges 2,400.00

Road Paving 600.00
Street Lights 650.00
Library North Lovell 200.00

Heavy Lovell Village 200.00
Fire Protection 200.00
Fire Auditing Town Books \$2.50

Washington, Mr. Lawrie is director, and a student with the Choral Singers. The group has made many successful appearances in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. In Maine musical circles he is well remembered. He spends most of his summer vacation in the Pine Tree State.

THIS WAS ADVERTISING ONCE
BUT NOW THE NEWSPAPER DOES IT BETTER

Uncle Sam Says



Down in Broad Street and Nassau Street, New York, I talked with big finance men. They could buy big, long term bonds but they buy Savings Bonds like Joe, the miner, and Hal, the bus driver. They look ahead and see them meeting doctor's bills, putting a new roof on the garage and getting that wing chair mother has always wanted. Yes, Wall Street likes bonds. U. S. Treasury Department



—Son, what you want to do 10 years from now? Go to college, I bet. Sure. Well, if you bought one Savings Bond a month from now (ill then, you would have \$3,000. Would help, wouldn't it? That's just why I want your Dad to keep on putting \$18.75 every month into bonds. What say, we talk plain to him like that? U. S. Treasury Department

Asphalt Shingles

Roofing

D. GROVER BROOKS

SLABS

DRY PINE

General Trucking

BOB MURPHY

Tel. 124-2



Next Time You Are In

The "Dog House"

Come here for dinner. When you sit down to one of our favorable meals, you'll soon forget your troubles. And may we suggest that a good way to get out of the "Dog House" is to bring the "little lady" here for dinner.

COTTON'S

GREENWOOD CENTER

Mrs. D. R. Cole has been sick the past few days.
Mrs. Edward Chase and Norwood Ford were recent callers at Elmer Cole's.

Mrs. Mary Mills of Locke Mills visited Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin.

Lucy Curtis of West Paris was a recent caller at Ethel Martin's.

Glen and Dwight Martin called recently on Ernest Martin at Norway.

Mrs. Beryl Martin and Curt visited friends at Bethel recently.

Several of the children in the blue have stomach upset that seems to be going the rounds.

Roy Martin was home for the week end.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE — and vicinity
Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

Junior Lapham was a dinner guest at Marlan Bumpus' Saturday.

Beverly Hall was ill all last week and unable to attend school.

Floyd Kimball saw a flock of wild geese at Songo Pond last week which is the earliest date ever known.

Several attended Church Sunday

with Mr. Rankin from Bridgton as guest minister.

A group of young people from this vicinity attended the dance at Locke Mills Saturday night.

Bertha Andrews, Carrie Logan, Myrtle Keniston, Edna Spring and Annie Bumbus attended the World Day of Prayer Service held by the women of the Parish, at the Warford Church Friday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

"I wish to thank all friends and neighbors for help and kindness during my illness also those giving for sunshine box which was much appreciated."

MRS. GEORGE W. KNIGHT

FOR YOUR Easter Cards and Gifts

KEEP US IN MIND

Edward P. Lyon

"The Store of Many Gifts"

Portraits by appointment

Sitting and four proofs, \$1.00

Developing & Printing

Don Brown

FOR APPOINTMENTS CALL BETHEL 100

Dog Owners

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Whoever keeps a dog not licensed, shall forfeit \$25.00. WARRANTS to kill all unlicensed dogs will be issued to the police.

The owner of any dog, 6 months old or over, MUST apply to the Town Clerk for a license for such dog, ON or BEFORE the FIRST DAY OF APRIL. The fee for dog licenses is as follows:

\$1.15 for Male Dogs.
\$1.15 for Spayed Female Dogs. (Provided that a certificate of spaying from a licensed Veterinary accompanies the application for a license or license of previous year presented.)

\$5.15 for Female Dogs.
\$10.15 for Kennel License. (Provided the number of dogs covered by this license does not exceed 10.)

\$20.15 for Kennel License if number of dogs covered exceeds 10.

ALICE J. BROOKS, Clerk, Town of Bethel.

ANOTHER LOT OF NEW Spring Dresses

from \$3.90 up

ALSO

Shoes for All the Family

AT

Brown's Variety Store

Men's Work Shirts

\$1.39

Dick Young's RAILROAD Station

TEL. 134 BETHEL

Effective July 1, 1944

SLABS \$3.00 per cord

Sawing \$1.50 per cord

Delivering in Village, full load \$2.00 per cord

Saved Slabs 2 cords to a load 4 ft. Slabs 3 cords to a load

BUTTINGS \$9.00 per large load, delivered

These prices are below the ceilings which were set for this area in November 1943. Terms: Cash on delivery.

P. H. CHADBOURNE & CO.

Tel. 135-2

Assessor Enforci

The Assessor's large Corporation following warning

"A drive will police to enforce particular attention and prohibited first warning of sufficient, sum"

If necessary, sum called in, but pride in keeping will result in the execution."

In general, the Corporation effective June 1, 1945 such restrictive driver would use pieces of the regulation from the 8 covers most of formation.

OR PARKING SPECIFIED. A small stand, except when no conflict with police officer, in places:

1. On a slide driveway;

2. In front of driveway;

3. Within an

4. Within 15

drant;

5. On a cross

6. Within 25

corner of the cur

7. Within 10

or private drive

8. Within 20

GOULD SENIOR RAPIDLY TAKIN

On April 12 (Academy Senior

Life" will be pre

Ham Bingham Gy

face comedy bas

"Henry Aldrich"

has since become

die and screen,

hearsal under M

rection for some

the two weeks' p

turn from East

shouldness presen

arrangement for

A number of lo

even cast in the

including Pauline

Lean, Stanley

Noyes, Pearl Da

"Henry" has been

capable acting of

row to Academy

actress during re

much comedy.

The plot center

being accused as

and a check out

course wins thr

ss. Sympathetic

resistant principl

to trust him, a

Dexter Stowell.

characters drift in

principal's office

ation takes plac

ation takes plac